The following is a copy of an important protest which will be presented at the meeting of the city council to-night, objecting to the proposed sewer improvement known as "Oakland Avenue

"To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:
"We the undersigned, citizens and tax

we the undersigned, citizens and tax payers who live and own property along the route and adjacent to the proposed new sewer known as 'Oakland Avenue Sewer, do hereby remonstrate against the building of said sewer for the following reasons, to wit:

"First—The land along said sewer and

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"First—The land along said sewer and adjacent thereto is largely in acre tracts which has good natural surface drainage. Hence it would be of no benefit to said land until it is laid off in lots and inhabited by citizens with modern improvements.

improvements.

Second -Two thirds of the citizens who live within the said sewer district returned to St. are not able to pay their proportion of it,

are not able to pay their proportion of it.

Soily with her at the present time.

"Third There are numerous additions outside the city who are adjacent to this sewer and would be greatly benefitted by the building of this sever, and it is a well known fact that they are agitating this sewer and hope to get the full benefit without helping to pay for it. Therefore, we protest against the building of the city are extended to the full limits of amanca. N.Y., said sewer until the boundaries of the city are extended to the full limits of the benefits derived from said sewer.

"Fourth We are not opposed to public improvements, but we think this sewer scheme is premature, and is aim.

sewer scheme is premature, and is simply to benefit a few citizens. Therefore pry to beneat a few critzens. Ineretore we desire that this sewer improvement be indefinitely postponed until a majority of the critzens in said sewer district desire it. We therefore pray that the council will consider this petition carefully, and grant it.

Among those who have signed the petition are H. H. Wisc. John Nowell, James Keefe, W. H. Williams, W. M. Bundy, Mrs. M. A. Bradley, Marilla ceral merchant Dunbam, James Millikikin, L. B. Casner of Cerro Gordo, and J. R. Race.

It was stated by one of the property owners that he understood that the cewer would cost in the neighborhood of \$100,000 and that the council could not her parents at show that most of the property assessed for the sewer was to be benefited. Said

> "There is another good reason not stated in the petition why the sewer could not be built on the plan proposed. A large territory is to be drained in a way contrary to the lay of the land. The water in that section passes out through Fairlawn Park and across the Dennis, Montgomery and Haworth farms to the river. It will be an unnecessary expense to drain the land by a sewer down Oakland avenue as it is proposed.

"This sewer is wanted by real estate boomers interested in the northwest am returned to part of town. It will benefit that secit, where she is tion, but none of the rest of us who will have to pay for it. Many of them have d Lida and Cora property that it will greatly benefit, but for Ann Arbor, it is now outside the city and they will their studies. not be taxed for it. We object to seeing them make us pay for sewers for them.

"We are determined to resist the construction of this sewer now. If neceswill leave this courts."

One of the aidermen was asked Saturn, paster of the day what the probable action of the this city, who is council would be in case of objection to where his wife the sewer and he replied:

-1 suppose the council will look on an objection as a matter of course. There has been objection to all the other not their mother, sewers, and I suppose there will be toof the smooth this one. My opinion is that we will go lerk's office, who right shead with it if we decide that it is needed. I believe that is arready decid-

s pale and thin, ed. I know that ten aldermen are in favor of it. The cost will not be excesassessments will not amount to more to fig. 1. It will certainly give ich. every lot owner that much benefit.

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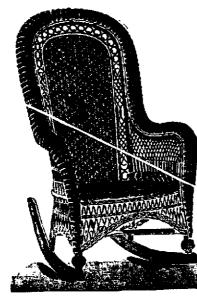
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HAVANA INVESTED.

The Rebels Having Everything Their Own Way.

CAPTURING SUBURBAN YILLAGES,

Work of Destruction on Railroads and Plantations Goes

Right Along.

HAVANA, Jan. 7.—The stations of the Villanueva railroad at Melena and the Guinos, in this province, have been destroyed by the rebels. The insurgents then marched in the town of San Felipe at the junction of the Bal-bano and Villaneuva railroads. The their approach and gathered 200 men, with whom he intended to defend the town. Maximo Gomez, the rebel leader, sent word to the mayor that if the insurgents were fired upon he want to lose their property, and the mayor acceded to their wishes and notified Comez that no defense of the

town would be made.

The latter at the head of 4,000 men then entered San Felipe. No damage

was done to property.

In the zone of Huivicah, Duran and San Felipe, the rebels have destroyed the sugar estates of Salvador, Jutia, San Augustin, Mercedita, Santa Teresa, Mora and Mi Rosa.

A number of families fleeing from

the rebels at Melana have arrived at Jesus del Monte, a suburb of Havana The government column under the command of Gen. Suarcz Valdez, arrived Sunday evening at Ragala, a small town situated across the bay

A train on the Villaneuva railroad which arrived here at 9 o'clock Sunday evening, brought a number of families from San Felipe, Bejucal, Duran, Melena and Juara, who are seeking safety

Passengers from Melena state that the rebels entered that town and made an attack on the church establishment. The mayor tried to oppose them and was killed.

A body of rebels also marched into Quivican, where they captured a quantity of arms and ammunition. The

town and the station of the Western Railroad Co. The inhabitants of the place took refuge in the bushes. Only three houses in the place were left standing.
A petard was exploded in front of

la Corona eigar factory in this city. The explosion caused much excitement in the vicinity, but no harm was done. An iron bomb was also exploded near Alvarez. A house was damaged and a large hole was made in

A LAIRD'S BROTHER-IN-LAW,

at prices that will interest Sholto Douglas, stabbed Peter Kear-Year's night. He made his escape, but surrendered yesterday, and was charged with assault with intent to

Want a Parcel Post Convention with the United States. Washington, Jan. 7.—Sir Julian Panneefote, the British ambassador, and Viscount Gough, first secretary of the embassy, called upon Postmaster-General Wilson yesterday and sub-mitted a proposition-from the postmas-ter general of Great Britain for the

law of June 27, 1890, the death of an officer or enlisted man shall be considered as conclusive if satisfactory evidence is produced establishing the fact of the continued absence of the officer of man from his home or family for a period of seven years, during which no intelligence of his existence had been received.

Army Officers Must Not Threaten Their Superiors.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The court of appeals of the District of Columbia has reversed the decision of the lower court in the case of Maj. Armes, a retired officer of the United States army, who was arrested by order of Gen.

Schofield, while acting as secretary of

Schofield, while acting as secretary of war, for writing him a threatening letter, and who was released by Judge Bradley, of the district court, on writing habeas corpus. The court of appeals sustains the authority of the district court of appeals sustains the authority of the district court. peals sustains the authority of Gen Schofield to order the arrest.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

OHICAGO, ilu, Jan. 7, 1896.
The ERPUBLICAN is indebted to B. Z. Taylor, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations:

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Wheat-126, Estimated, 122; Year ago, 55. Jorn-609. Estimated, 600; a year ago, 567 Oats-285. Estimated, 290, a year ago, 260 ESTIMATES FOR 'CO-MORROW. Wheat, 65; Corn, 265; nats. 25.

Receipts at Minneapolis to-day were 307. Duluth got 107 cars of wheat, a total of 414. Trade in wheat was large and the mark active. It was a bell day from start to linish. Trade in corn was good in May, but small it laneary and July.

Trade in outs good and market fairly active.

Hog receipts 37,003; estimated 29,000. Market slow, 50 lower. Light. \$3.60@\$3.80; mixed \$2.35@\$3.75; heavy, \$3.70@\$3.85; rough, \$3.55@ Estimated for to-morrow, 43,000.

Cattle receipts 7,000; market steady. No cables received received this morning.

DECATUR STOCK MARKET.

The following are the ruting prices paid by \$32.50 Overcoats....now \$27.00 lows and Heifers.....

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esse, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and lena and Juara, who are seeking safety under the guns of Havana. The train also brought a detachment of troops from the Barrito estate at Duran.

Passengers from Melena state that what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials,

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, price 75 cents.

THE Pekin schools opened Monday morning with 1145 pupils, the largest number in their history.

Wife—Here's an account of a man who shot himself rather than suffer the pangs of indigestion. Husband—The fool! Why didn't he take De Witt's Little Early Risers? I used to suffer as bad as he did before I commenced tak ing these little pills. West's drug store.

One Minute Cough Cure is a popular remedy for croup. Safe for children and adults. West's drug store.

THE Marshall county farmers' insti-tute will be held in Wenona January 16 and 17.

Ballard's Snow Liniment Will Cure Charged with an Assault to Murder, Surrenders to the Authorities.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Thomas Mooney. a brother-in-law of Lord Sholts Donglas, stabled Poter Koar-

A MARRIAGE boom has prevailed in and around Petersburg the past week.



know women and young girls who are continually in tears? Who always see the dark side? Who have frequent fits of melancholy without any apparent cause? But there is a cause. It is to be found by the in-

ter general of Great Britain for the negotiation of a parcel post convention between the two countries. Germany, France. Belgium and Italy have previously taken steps to secure such a service with the United States. Postmaster-General Wilson will soon take the matter under consideration.

An Absence of Seven Years Conclusive of Death.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The house committee on invalid pensions yesterday ordered a favorable report on a bill providing that in the consideration of claims filed under the pension law of June 27, 1890, the death of an officer or enlisted man shall be considered as conclusive if satisfactory

It is to be found by the intelligent physician in some derangement of the complicated and delicate femining organs of generation. The woman who half understands herself, feels that she cannot always have the doctor in the house. The young girl suffers, bodily and mentally, in silence. The trouble usually comes so gradually it is attributed to some outside cause. There is undue weariness, unexpected pain, unreasonable tears and fits of temper. All these symptoms are simply protests of the silent long-suffering nerves. The trouble, shows in dark circles below the eyes, to downward curve of the mouth, a sallow, how in dark circles below the eyes, to downward curve of the mouth, a sallow, how in dark circles below the eyes, to downward curve of the mouth, a sallow, how in dark circles below the eyes, to downward curve of the mouth, a sallow, how in dark circles below the eyes, to downward curve of the mouth, a sallow, how in dark circles below the eyes, to downward curve of the mouth, a sallow, how in the complete of the complete and delicate femining of the complete and the complete and delicate femining of the complete and the com

(Mrs.) P. T. Rudd.

We bought very heavily for this fall's trade and, as every one knows, business has not been what it should have been. The result is that we find we have entirely too much clothing, which we must positively sell, and we are therefore going to offer a re-

15 per cent

FOR CASH ONLY, on all Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats. Our prices, which are plainly marked on each garment, were low to start with, and with a reduction of 15 per cent. will give you clothing cheaper thanyou ever saw them.

Two only, genuine imported Patton Beaver Men's Overcoats, worth \$40, now \$32.50.

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TUESDAY, JAN. 7, 1896.

England repudiates Dr. Jameson, but know officially that the sympathies of the United States are with them, and then the doctor is in jail where he is that the Monroe doctrine applies to eating Dutch rations.

CLAVELAND'S decision to as't the American people to loan the govern ment \$100,000,000 in gold will give the

Mugwumps another spasm.

The Chicago Tribune warns Congressman Cannon that in his desire to This medicine does not stimulate and succeed Senator Cullem he should be careful not to go off half-cocked.

acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the armed troops in case England attempts to enforce her claims in Venezuela by force. This is the kind of diplomacy that no English diplomatist can talk down. Prop. McMasters refers to Salisbury

as the "noble coroner" of the Monroe doctrine. There is no danger, however, that Salisbury will make any effort to kick the corpse he has attempted to

GEN. CAMPOS has again announced one-legged veteran, who lost his leg at that the Cubans under Gomez are Winchester, Va., March 23rd, '62 In all probability the exposure and privations of army service, the effects of which are timidity when some one suggests that the door of the coop be closed. Nobody apparently is on to the combination of apparently is on to the combination of which Comrade Rolph complained. He leaves, an intimate and devoted the coop be closed. Nobody apparently is on to the combination of which Comrade Rolph complained. He leaves, an intimate and devoted the coop be closed. Nobody apparently is on to the combination of which Comrade Rolph complained. He

NEXT to Cleveland's claim that the necessity for berrowing gold to replenish the gold reserve is not due to a deficiency in the revenues, the claim of Secretary Morton that the alarming decrease of sheep in the United States, since the Democrate came into power, is due to sheep-killing dogs, takes the most cakes.

that a new star is at oace added to the flag. This is incorrect. The stars to represent newly admitted states are not placed on the flag until the first fourth giet, cor. Main and Water st. of July following the admission. July 4th, 1896, a new etar will be added to made a new departure and now enjoys the flag to represent Utah, making 45 in singing from a choir composed entirely

It is very easy for those people in the A Sound Liver makes a Well Man. United States who know all about it to say that the bit of land claimed by Great Britain in Venezuela is not worth fighting for, but it must be borne in mind that these people have never attempted to explain why England is trying to steal territory that is worth nothing. Uncle Sam proposes to see that this business of claiming worthless territory is stopped. There was once a class of people who could see no reason for going to war in 1861.

Are you Billions. Constipated, or troubled with Jaundice, Sick Headache, Bad Tastein Mouth, Foul Breath, Cuated Tongue, Dyrpopsia, Indigestion, Hot Dry Skin, Pain in Back and between the Shoulders, Chills and Fever, &cf If you have any of these symptoms, your Liver as out of order and your blood is slowly being poisoned, because your will cure any disorder of the Liver, Stomach or Bowels. It has no equal as a Liver Medicine. Price 75 cents. Fret trial bottles at J. W. Eichinger's and C. F. Shilling's. United States who know all about

It is reported that the administration proposes to send a number of additional resident of Wenona, will shortly move to Texas and make that state his future United States war ships to the Mediterranean sea with the view of forcing the h Dardanelles, if necessary, to compel the Suitan to enforce the payment of indemuity demanded by this government Bruses, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, for the losses sustained by Americans in Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, the Karpoot and Marash massacres in Armenia. Should this prove to be correct, England would have to revise her charge that the Venezuelan affair has King & Merz. made it impossible to do anything to-

MR. CLARENCE DARROW, of Chicago, number of revolvers, knives, etc. who in the campaign of 1892 told the workingmen what a grand paradise for them would result from a Democratic Charence! He does not seem to have It is a guarant at two cure the worst cough it is a guarant at two cure the worst cough it is a guarant at two cure the worst cough it is a guarant at two cure the worst cough it is a guarant at two cure the worst cough it. he had of a tariff and its effects upon American prosperity. The patrictism of this country baptised in blood, and that alone, has made this government what it is, and the willingness to shed blood keeps it so; but many men, such as Darrow, seem never to have discovered that the Thombers of the state of th that fact. They have a fool impression simple) are carried out, a cure will rethat the government, like Topsy, "just sult. We have tested this in numerous sult.

EVERY day that the United States puts off recognizing the belligerant rights of the Cubane is a crime against will open on January 15. humanity and against freedom. These people have rebelled against Spain for just causes and they have proven themselves not only willing to lay down their lives for freedom but have shown to the world the armies sent in by Spain to subdue them have failed of their pur pose and that in spite of their over whelming numbers, well armed as they are, they have flanked army after army and are now threatening Havana and have thrown that city in a state of panic regardless of the fact that Gen. Campos is there with an army of 80,000 men Such people are entitled to recognition as belligerants because Spain has utterly failed to subjugate them and their free. dom is already well assured and it would tramps. now be an act of mercy to recognize the patr ots which would probably result in remedy for croup. Safe for children and which has been called for to-morrow ending the war very soon. We concur adults. West's drug store. now be an act of mercy to recognize the in the views of the Chicago Tribune touching this matter. It says:

The steadfast persistence and the im.

Daily Republican portant successes of the patriotic Cubans for nearly a year past should cause our Congress to wait no longer, but to recognize to wait no longer, but to recognize to wait no longer.

Too much blood has been shed already

in Cuba, and this country should not look on idly while more is being spilt uselessly and a contest, the result of

legant organ.

A Battle Scarred Veteran.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

A HARDWARE store at Hopedale

H. N. SORRELS, of Rantoul, languishes in the county jail at Urbana for selling liquor without a license.

cases, and always with like results. It never fails. West's drug store.

GRAUER & STUCKLE, of Mt. Pulaski, will start a eigar factory in Lincoln and

THE receipts of the postoffice at Paxton for 1895 exceeded the previous year

and aggravates the disease. Instead of waiting, try One Minute Cough Cure.

It helps at once, making expectoration easy, reduces the screness and inflamma-tion. Every one likes it. West's drug

FROM September 1st to January 4th the city of Pekin satertained 600

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nize what they have accomplished by granting them belligerant rights at once. There should be no more time wasted In America, as Interpreted by the Chronicle Correspondent, before doing right by the patriots. Encouragement of this kind now will insure their independence from Spain. The subject should be taken up when Con-gress meets to-morrow and be disposed of as rapidly as was the Venezuelan

DISTINCTLY TURNING TOWARDS PEACE

The Better Class of People Anxious for a Way of Honorable Settlement Pointed Advice to Lord Salisbury.

which is inevitable, is being protracted.
There has been enough of the laissez faire policy. It is time to strengthen the cause of Cuba by letting the Cubans thour affairly that the transfer of the cause of Cuba by letting the Cubans thour affairlist that the cause of the cause to that paper from Washington yester day as follows:

their case fully as much as it does to that of Venezuela. Congress must act England seems to me to be distinctly "The tide of opinion here regarding turning, owing, I believe, both to the at once. The Cubans have earned rec-Chronicle's utterances and to England's anxious foreign crisis. Yesterday I quoted sympathetic words from the New York Sun. To-day the Tribune says there is something magnificent in the way the British themselves face their international situation. contains no whisky or other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alterative. It Tribune speaks of the everlast-ing birthright of the British people in the memories of Agincourt, Plassy and Trafalgar, and declars ets mildly on the stomach and bowels, that the present opportunity is equally momentous and advantageous to both countries. It adds that worthy di-plomacy should now make easy the way for an equitable and amicable set-THE Christian Endeavor society of the Christian church at Lincoln recently tlement with Great Britain: 'Upon the governments of Washington and Westpresented that congregation with an shall be neglected or shall be improve to the perpetual profit and glory of both the great divisions of the En-Nearly every one in Medina Co., Ohio, knows Stephen Roiph, of River Styx, the glish-speaking race.'

"Many similar utterances prove the truth of my assertions that all the best American opinion is earnestly defriend of Mr. Cleveland, and a promi-People hereabouts know me pretty well, but you can tell others that I was nent member of the foreign relations Senator Gray said. down for about six months with nervous

"I don't think the president made or prostration and sleeplessness for which I tried various doctors and medicines, intended to make a threat towards the but Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer has done me more good than all the doctor-but he did mean to express in the but he did mean to express in the ing I had done. The first bottle gave strongest way possible his own feeling me such great relief that I have used and what I believe to be the feeling of A suspensingly large number of exchanges, speaking of the admission of Utah, make the mistake of assuming that a new star is at once added to the the subject of the subjec several and feel almost restored to my all the people of this country regard is sincere regret and dismay among all right-minded here that a more conciliatory tion was not accepted by Lord Sailsbury in regard to the general principle of arbitration. If the British govern-THE C. P. church at Greenview has ment should show a kindly disposition owards this principle I believe it would be greatly welcomed by the people of this country. So far as there being any loss of prestege to the Brit Are you Bilions, Constipated, or trou ish government in this course, it would make me more hopeful that the great principle of arbitration will find expression in a convention between the wo countries covering all questions that might arise

The New York Times also describes my statement of the American case as superior and entirely truthful.

The present moment is a golden one o secure American good will. Can England afford to lose it. If Lord Salsbury takes no step and sees no way. hen let him reflect that his attitude JAMES MORRIS, an old and well-known is identical with that fatal one which lost Great Britain her American colonies more than a century rgo. The American people are eugerly listening word from him. The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, of it would be slight and the gain co-

THE DANGER OF HILARITY.

Another Drops Dead While Laughing. Cincago, Jan. 7 .- Nicholas Klughart, 22 years old, of South Bend, Ind. laughed so violently at a performance ven at the Olympic theater Sunday burglarized recently of a shotgun, a that he burst an artery and died soon afterwards. He went to the theater with a friend and before the performance was over complained of feeling choked and they went into the open Ballard's Horehound Syrup absolutely cures Bronchitis and all other diseases tariff bill, now describes patriotism as a of the Throat and Lungs. It gives in air. When two blocks away he had a stant relief and will cure the worst cough severe hemorrhage and died in a drug store. A bad cough of long standing aggravated the attack.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., Jan. 7.-Ira Rose, one of the most prominent farmers in this country, dropped dead at his home near Sellersburg, while laughing at a joke yesterday morning. He

was 72 years of age. PRESIDENT BAKER AGAIN. An Exciting Election on the Chicago Boa of Trade.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7 .- The annual board of trade election yesterday resulted in another triumph for President William T. Baker, he being elected for a fourth term by a majority of 215 votes in a total cast of 1357. His opponent, Thomas A. Wright, was classed as the friend ONE Minute Cough Cure is rightly A. Wright, was classed as the friend named. It affords instant relief from of the elevator interests, and although suffering when efflicted with a severe cough or cold. It acts on the throat, bronchial tubes and lungs and never fails to give immediate relief. West's test was the most exciting known to test was the most exciting known to veteran traders. It brought to the floor to vote millionaires who are rarely seen there, Marshal Field and three of the Armour family, including P. D., being among the votera. Coughing irritates the delicate organs

The Ministerial Crisis in Canada. OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 7 .- The excitement in political circles here is intense So far the general opinion is that Pre mier Mackenzie Bowell will endeavor to construct his cabinet and it is thought by some prominent politicians that he will succeed in doing this, but others say that he will not be able to do so. The conservative meeting will settle the question. It is doubtful if there will be any session of parlia-

ment in the near future.

THE TIDE OF OPINION GREAT BARGAINS AT BRADLEY BROS.

THIS MONTH.

London, Jan. 7.—The American com-missioner of the Daily Chronicle cabled Big Reduction Sale of Blankets.

200 pairs of all wool Scarlet, White and Grey Blankets, \$2.98 a pair worth \$4.00, selling at..... 100 pairs of heavy all wool Grey and White Blankets, \$3.98 a pair worth \$5. a pair, at...... Just 50 pairs of fine white, all wool, extra large Blankets, \$4.50 a pair worth \$6.50, at....

Novelty Dress Patterns Cut in Price.

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Clearing Out and Making Room Bargain Sales.

Dress Goods, 15, 25, 35, 40, 60, 75c, worth nearly double. Blankets from 49c to \$4.75 pair. A few choice Fur Capes at 50c

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Good Calicoes at 31/2c and the made at 5c.

Muslin Underwear-A big line at lower prices than ever known. Table Linen, Cloths, Napkins, &c., at wholesale prices.

Now is the time to buy. As soon as spring opens nearly all kinds of dry goods will be higher. Raw cotton has doubled in price within the last 60 days, which means higher prices for spring goods. You can save big money

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All who have endored untold agonics from liver and kidney troubles, billousness, mental depression, dizziness, etc., know too well the misery they have gone through. Why? Hecause they have not found an adequate remedy for their complaints. They need despair no longer. There is a cure for all things.

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CHANCERY NOTICE STATE OF ILLINOIS, 500 MACON COUNTY, 500

In the Circuit Court, January Term, 1896. Charles Wehner vs. Keriah Wehner-Chancery

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Elizabeth Hirst, Deceased. Estate of Elizabeth Hirst, Deceased.

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Hirst, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the March term, on the first Mooday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against said e-tate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 3d day of January, 1998.

H. D. HEIL, Administrator.

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.

CHAS. LAUX, Proprieter. South Side Lincoln Square, Decatur, Ill

Special lax Notice.

office.
That a warrant for the collection of such special takes is in the hands of the undersigned.
All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount assessed at the collector's office, being the city clerk's office at the court house, in said city, within thirty days from the date hereof.

Dated, this 10th day of December, A. D. 1895, dec11-d30d

F. L. HAYS, City Clerk.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

The price of these Pills is 50 Cents package.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of John Schuder and against Jennie Phillips, I have levked upon the following described property, to-wit Block thy (5), Railstad addition to the city of Macon, Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the wald Jennie Phillips, which I shall offer at public sale at the north doer of the court house, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 5th day of January, A. D., 1890, at 2 o'clock p. m of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said execution.

This 17th day of Dec., A. D. 1895.

Bec.18-dtd Sheriff Macon Co., It.

EXECUTRIX' NOTICE. Estate of John Ray, decrased.

Estate of John Ray, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executry of the estate of John Ray, late of the county of Macon, and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the March term, on the first Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 2d day of Japuary 1896.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

In the matter of the assignment of Nathaniel T. Watson; Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed assignee of the extate of Nathaniel T. Oatson, and all persons holding any claim or claims against the said Nathaniel T. Watson are hereby notified to present the same to me under oath or affirmation within three months from this date, whether such claims are due or not. All persons indebted to such assignor are requested to make prompt payment of the same.

Dated this 20th day of November, 186.

CHARLES S. HANKINS, Assignee.



Suits, Overcoats, Pants,

Entire Stock of New.

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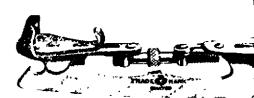
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Dated, this 16th day of December, A. D. 1895, decri-d30d F. I. HAYS City Clerk,

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

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By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county. Hilmols, in favor of Jelin Schuder and against Jenme Phillips, I have levied into the following described property, to-witellock, two-fo, Kailroad addition to the city of the said Jenme Phillips, which I shall offer at public sale at the north-door of the court house, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 4th day of January, A. D., 1806, at 2 o clock p. m. of said day, for each in hand to satisfy said execution.

This ITH day of Dec., A. D., 1805

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Pated this 20th day of November, 1825.

CHARLES S HANKINS, Assignee.

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Administrator.

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Suits, Overcoats, Pants, Underwear FOR MEN AND BOYS.

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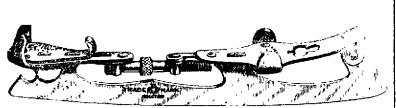
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Our stock is still too large and we Haberly will begin next Friday at 2:30 Oakland avenue produced south would goods, shawls, or table clotus, \$5 per day expect to real months. Their husbands will probable to the Supremon river there would goods, shawls, or table clotus, \$5 per day expect to real months. Their husbands will probable to the Supremon river there would goods, shawls, or table clotus, \$5 per day expect to real months. Their husbands will probable to the Supremon river there would goods, shawls, or table clotus, \$5 per day expect to real months. will continue our Red Price Sale until February 1st, which is our annual date for taking stock.

Take advantage of this very great New Phone, 435. Also leave orders opportunity to get good goods cheap.

All we want is a chance to show you the goods and quote prices. Your judgment will do the rest.

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TUESDAY, JAN. 7, 1896. LOCAL NEWS.

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GRAND ARMY post meeting to-night. Box and Bulk Candies at Whitley's Cigars in all sized boxes at Whitley's.

THE largest stock of cigars in town at West's drug store.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR. IRWIN's fragrant cream cures chapped

REMEMBER that the Little Rose and

USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR. Installation of officers to-night at the hall of Chevalier Bayard Lodge,

Knights of Pythias. TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOUR,

REV. GEO. F. HALL states that he came to Decatur to stay and he will

TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOUR, The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth. kuk, Iowa, to-day, was given a farewell party last night by his eister, Miss Gussie

THE lecture room of the First M. E. church was well filled last night, when

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Go to the Spencer & Lehmancompany for wood pumps, iron pumps, force pumps teb6-d&wtf

SELECT a Haines Upright or Reed & Son's piano. They are leaders at the C. B. Prescott music house on North Wa-

USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR

It is now believed that Clara Booker, the 3-year old daughter of James Booker, who was shockingly burned recently at C. Bolay. Granted. nonths before the child will be able to the sole owner of Opera House block and

Ir you want to keep warm this winter nave Leon & Morris put in one of their celebrated Akron Air Blast Furnaces. They can do you a good job. oct23-dtf

THERE were five generations represented at the fifteenth marriage anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wil liams which was celebrated yesterday at the family home 222 East Marietta

THE Buyers' and Merchants' Benefit tire living expenses. Call upon the manager L. Chodat and learn how.

as good as government bonds. Will pay be located: us commission, and deal with party! The city engineer presented a profile Jan 6-d&wlw THE course of twelve lectures by Mrs.

ourse, or \$3 for both.

USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR M. F. Metz. Personally he can be found store. Hard coal, all sizes, always in stock at market prices. Nov. 11-dti

Two Lives Saved. was no hope for her, but two bottles Dr. King's New Discovery competeiv cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St., San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else, then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the

THE CITY COUNCIL.

KNOCKS OUT DOLLAR GAS.

lderman Gogerty Wants Saloon Free Lunches Abolished and the Weight of Bread Regulated-Action on Fourth Ward Sewer and the Great Western Sewer-V. H. Parke Locks Herns With the Council - Recommendation by the

The council held its first meeting last

night for the year 1896. All the members except Thayer, Johnson and Bolen man Gogerty. Alderman Ahrens was irst on the floor, and be questioned the improvement committee. ight of the council to pass such a resoution and also doubted its expediency, and before he closed he unde a good, THE Fortnightly club will meet again deal of fun. Alderman Stratton moved its reference to the finance committee, awarded as follows: W. J. Magee, \$990; and upon a yea and nay vote it was so | Samuel Gramme \$600; P. J. Ryder \$900; referred, those voting to refer being P. B. Ryder \$800; Pugh heirs \$1150-Ahrens, Gogerty, Hankins, Mathias, total \$4340. Accepted and placed on Simpson and Strattan.

Alderman Montgomery's resolution providing for fixing the maximum rate for illuminating gas at one dollar per one thousand feet was something of a surprise, but the council refused to discuss the matter. The resolution set forth that neighboring cities were furnishing gas at a less cost than that paid by the citizens of Decatur, and asked paid, \$6,897.38; on hand January 1, hat the matter be investigated; but it \$1,792.34. was promptly laid on the table. Those The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth. voting to lay on the table were: Ahrens, Go to Henry Bros. bakery for all Drake, Foster, Hankins, Irwin, Mathias kinds of cakes, pies, etc. dec26-dtf and Stratton; those voting may were: Gogerty, Montgomery, Carter and Simp-

The sidewalk in front of the premises 270 hours. of V. H. Parke on West Cerro Gordo REV. W. C. MILLER conducted the street has a drop at the west side of his funeral of the late Mrs. Andrew Wayts. storage building of several inches, and is dangerous to pedestrians. Parke claims IRWIN'S Fig laxative syrup is pleasant | he got a grade from the city. The city and effective, large bottles reduced to denice this, and ordered Parke to lower the walk. This he not only refuses to do, but threatens injunction proceedings if the city attempts to lower it; but the council, last night, by a unanimous vote, ordered the walk lowered, and of course,

The business in detail was as follows: asked that in widening North Broadway sidewalk. The latter claims damages thony and Ashbrook, Rev. Dooley and it be made 80 feet wide instead of by water to his premises by reason of wife, and Rev. W. E. Knight. Rev. Galeener preached. Services every 60 feet between Orchard and Herkimer defective sewer. This claim has streets. Granted.

> refund him \$100, part of the license fees mittee and a report made that the Let others do likewise. paid by him to conduct a fruit stand, city was not liable therefor. I would alleging as a reason that others were advise further investigation in this claim Willard, of Macon, in a revival meeting permitted to sell fruit in competition of Harpetrite with the view of settling the last of this week and all next week. without paying any license. Laid upon the matter without litigation is possible. He will return to fill his appointments the table

W. H. Holser asked that his license to eep a dram shop be transferred to N.

John Blicker asked that his license to keep a dram shop be transferred to John Orlando Powers stated that he was

petitioned the council to grant him permission to excavate under the side walks surrounding the block for areas, coal bunkers, to-wit: Twelve feet on the east side, 13 feet on the north side, 14 feet on the south side and 14 feet on the west side; all to be excavated to the depth of 10 feet, 9 inches, and that the city give him the proper grade for sidewalks. Referred to sidewalk and cross reported they had caused a suitable walk ing committee and city engineer with to be laid from Water street east on power to act.

The Morehouse & Wells Co. petitioned Main streets. Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your entre the council for permission to remove their powder house from East Wood granted V. N. Hostetler permission to street to the city gravel bank. Petition place a boiler under the sidewalk on USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR granted, and a committee was appointed State street east of his property. TWENTY-FIVE hundred dollars wanted to examine location of all powder houses or three years at 6 per cent, interest on and if thought advisable decide upon a St. Louis avenue between Oakland farm worth \$8,000. The loan will be place to which all powder houses should avenue and the city limits was referred gone to California, by way of Now Or

direct. Address lock box No. 3431 Mt. and estimate of cost of sewer on west side of city as follows:

Sclock. The first topic will be "Greek touch the Sangamon river, thence north or \$25 per week, for selling stationery, ably return in a few weeks. Mythology." A course of evening lectures will also be given—\$2 for single north of West Main street, thence northeasterly, following the ravine crossing No BETTER soft coal in this market Eldorado street at the intersection of than Lincoln or Mt. Olive. Buy it of Vandyke street and crossing Green western sewer was read and referred place. at the yard office, 8.0 North Broadway dyke street, crossing King street 280 the city engineer For Broadway office, Old Phone, 433; feet east of the center of Vandyke street, ment committee. crossing Marietta street 60 feet east of with T. W Cano, 628 North Main, or the center of Pine street, thence n. e. to ing of \$20,000 bonds of the city, duted with Harry Metz, at King & Metz' drug the intersection of Packard and Monro Oct. 1, 1884, was read and passed. streets, north on Monroe extreet to the The total length is 9,000 feet, or 1.7 public improvement committee. Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors that she had Consumption and that there West Main street, bearing thence north- read and a motion to lay the same on miles. Also for a sewer leaving the

be regarded as beyond dispute, because mittee. net in the digging is by sinking test

The City engineer reported that the were present. There was little in the Merchant street paving was complete proceedings of an excitable character and ready for acceptance, and slee that antil a proposition to abolish free the sewer on East Main street from unches in saloons was reached. This Broadway and Jasper street sewer to roposition was introduced by Alder Lincoln Square was completed and ready for acceptance. Referred to public

City Attorney Lee reported that in the matter of petition of the city to condemn property to widen Division street compensation and damages were

The city attorney was instructed to ask for a continuance in the case of widening Center street until assessment roll is completed.

The report of the city treasurer for the month of December showed there was on hand December 1, \$7,916.59; received during month, \$773.13; warrants

The engineer of the water worksre ported: Water pumped during December, 79,000,000 gailons; a total of 441 tons of coal was used; of this 40 tons for the light plant and 25 tons at the filter house. The light plant was used

The marshal's report for November showed 54 arrests; fines assessed. \$177; fines collected. \$151.75.

Superintendent Alexander reported during the month of December. Mayor Conklin presented the follow-

ing communication to the city council: the sum of \$5,000. The former claims all did their best work, besides he was A petition of Huff Bros. and others to have been injured by a defective ably assisted by the evangelists An been before the council and has Joe Bartello petitioned the council to been investigated by a special com-

> J. W. Atexander reported that he had Zion. beyed the order of the council to notify V. H. Park to lower his sidewalk in front of his property on West Cerro Gordo at the home of C. T. Webster by the street at his own expense and his answer members of the Old West End Athletic was, that he would not do it and that if club. The affair was in bonor of T. W. the city undertook to do so he would Pitner, who will shortly return to re enjoin it. The council ordered the street sume his studies at the Illinois College commissioner to proceed at once to bring in Jacksonville. The charter members said walk to grade.

which was referred the resolution to James H. Heat'y and George S. Foster. pave Packard street from Water to Main James H. Beatty acted as toastmaster. street reported in favor of paving same ing intersections. Adopted.

The matter of establishing grade on to the city engineer.

that licenses for selling jewelry be \$10 | ingen, who are now at Los Angeles Sewer to commence at the point where medicines, cloths, silks, cassimeres, dress expect to remain on the coast for sevon Oakland avenue to a point 400 feet month, for selling cakes, fruits, nuts, candies, lemonade, sods and other con-

street 65 feet east of the center of Van | with the profile and estimate filed by dyke street, crossing King street 280 the city engineer to the public improve-The ordinance providing for the fund

An ordinance regulating the tapping city limits at the center of Pugh street. of sewers was read and referred to the An ordinance taxing foreign insurance

by Montgomert, the price of gas

ing cities and pro mum price of Defould Say So! thousand feet was are anday and was laid on the table. By Gogerty: Recoived ht. not-

attorney draw up an ordinance prohib ing the serving of free lunch in saloons. Gogerty moved to adopt and Alderman Montgomery seconded it. On motion of Alderman Stratton it was re ferred to the finance committee.

By Gogerty: That a drop light b placed at the intersection of Jasper and and Cerro Gordo streets. Laid on the By Drake and Carter: That the cit

clerk be instructed to have 500 copies of

the plumbing ordinance printed in pamphlet form and have printed blank applications in stub form for plumbing permits. Adopted.; By Drake and Carter: That the street superintendent raise to grade the

brick sidewalk on the east side of Church street between Green and King streets By irwin: That the mayor and city elerk be authorized to make a lease for

a portion of the lot occupied by the Ad

vance Thresher building, the same to be used for the police patrol wagon. The consideration chall be \$25 per annum. Adopted. By Montgomery: That the city clerk shall draw an order in favor of the De catur National Bank for the sum of

\$1,222.84, to take up a Union street time varrant. Adopted. By Irwin: That the city marshal be netructed to investigate on January 7 the amount and kind of explosives kept in stock by dealers and to report at the next meeting of the council. Adopted

A Successful Campaign Ended. Rev. A. M. Danely began a series of revival meetings the first of October, The first was held at Blue Mound Chapel, where there were fifty added to the expenditure of \$303 in street work the church. The second was held at Elwin, where there we twenty five ac cessions. The third was at Mt. Zion where sixteen joined the M. E. church Since your last meeting suits have The third closed at Long Creek on Sun been entered and summons served upon day night, the 5th inst., where there me by Henry Beston and Augustus were over thirty accessions, making in Harpstrite, each claiming damages in all about 120 converts. The churches

> The good people of Long Creek and vicinity are making up a box of clothing

Rev. A. M. Danely will assist Rev. Referred to Mayor and city attorney. | on the Sabbath at Long Creek and Mt

A Supper.

A 'possum supper was given last night of the club present were Thomas W The public improvement committee to Pitner, John K. Webster, Roy Wilson,

Going to Louisville. Hugh Vaugun, a salesman for several The committee on streets and alleys years at the store of the Stine Clothing dain street to the corner of State and fum ly to Louisville, Ky., where he will enter the college of dentistry. George The same committee reported having Corn, who has been employed at the

> college next week. Gone to California

Mr. and Mrs. John Armstrong have leans. They will stop at San Diego and The ordinance was passed providing then join Mr. and Mrs. John A. Swear per day, for selling salve, liniment, drugs, Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Swearingen

Miss Margaret Connor, a teacher in the Marietta street school, has been fections and refreshmen a \$3 per month | called to New York by the serious illness The ordinance providing for the great of her mother. Miss Neal has taken her

Tan Farmer City Journal was twenty!

By years bid last week.

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TUESDAY, JAN. 7, 1896.

RAMSAY'S AFFAIRS.

The Suit on Trial Develops Who Had the State's Funds.

The hearing of the case looking into the affairs of State Treasurer Ramsay, Carlisle yesterday. The interest in the case is intense, and it seems from reports that everybody is trying to get into the court to hear the witnesses. The only witness examined yesterday was F. M. Blount, cashier of the Chicago National Bank, but he proved an important one.

amount of deficit in the state treasury was \$478,000, represented by notes of Henry Seiter, the ex-Lebanon banker, Ramsay's personal due bills, and notes on other parties, enumerated as follows:

Liana Lake bonds, \$1,530; Delos P. Phelps, chairman, state Democratic committee, \$2,500; William Hanna, \$15,000; John R. Tanner. \$17,000; O. W. Nixon. Chicago, \$10,000; F. K. Whittemore \$19,000; C. W. Fairbank, \$50,000, a total of \$115,000, all of which was collected by Mr. Blount, thus reducing the amount due from Mr. Ramsay to the amount of their claim filed here.

He named a number of banks, some of which were on Ramsay's bond, that had state money to use for which they paid 21 per cent; that a man by the name of Ramsey, not the treasurer, was the go-between between the treasury and family.

Miss Mary Lyman of Springfield, is in the city visiting Rev. Geo. F. Hall and family. and the banks. He thought probably he was the brother of the treasurer.

New Officers.

The Sunday school of the First Baptist church held their annual election Sunday. The following officers were Superintendent-E. A. Gastman.

First Assistant J. W. Carter. Second Assistant -Ethel Dimock. Second Assistant -Ethel Dimock.
Secretary Orville Coughlin.
First Assistant Theodore Coughlin.
Second Assistant -W. A. Holman.
Librarian -James Montgemery.
Assistant -Alfred Diller.
Treasurer - William Cooperat. Treasurer-William Coonradt. Chorister—C. C Curtis.
Assistant—I N. Martin, ir.
Piamet—Ardie L. Wood.

Assistant—Alice Drobisch Leader of Orchestra Mrs. Hattie Superintendent of Primary Depart

ment J. E. Saxton.
First Assistant Nita Clark.
Second Assistant Wilbur Funk.

Caught a Thief.

F. P. Banks is the proprietor of a sa loon at Sullivan. He has had Charles Maxidon in his employ. This morning Banks discovered that he had been robbed of \$6.65 and a lot of whicky. Maxidon had disappeared. Banks came to Decatur looking for Maxidon, confi dent that he was the robber. Banks informed the officers, and in a short time City, Mich., after a visit to Decatur relations. Maxidon visited the county jail, where tives. Deputy Holmes took him in custody. Maxidon's wife is a prisoner at the jail, ville this morning to take the position of forewoman in the Columbia Manufacwould appear. He was searched. He would appear. He was searched. He had \$5.80, but the missing whisky is yet to be located. The Sullivan sheriff will and Theabeld, of the Vandalia railway.

'A New Year's Present.

An honest man is the noblest work of God, and as P. T. Barnum once added, Miller on Prairie avenue. yes, and they are getting to be a mighty scarce article. The public confidence has been juggled with by alleged "Bankrupt Sales," "Clearance Sales," and for which he is traveling salesman. "Fire Sales," etc., until an honest sale is looked upon with suspicion.

launched in our midst that is honest and its offers will be faithfully carried out to the letter. No marking up of prices and the letter. No marking up of prices and for Champaign where he will resume then marking them down. No deception, his studies at the University of Illinois. no jugglery, no trickery. All our shoes as you well know are marked in plain the city for the past week on a visit to figures, at profitable figures. Now, for the next 30 days, we will shear the prices care. of profit and in many cases of a goodly portion of the cost.

We need the money, you need the shoes-let's trade.

Folkath & Hardy, The Shoe Fitters.

Forty Years Ago.

Just forty years ago to-day Decatur had her first election as a city. Jan. 7, 1956, John P. Post, now residing in Col. C. C. Post cierk and attorney. The Madison the first city marshal.

Brown's Business College.

Night school opens Monday evening, fee. January 6. Reduced rates of tuition till Dr. T. S. Hoskins, Dentist, Opera April 1. Call at the college or write for House Block, ground floor. Jan 3 d6 jan24-d&wtf

THE NOON FIRE.

Eldorado Badly Damaged.

Fire broke out this afternoon at 1 o'clock in the McGlasson Bros.' saloon at the corner of Short and Eldorado evening and paul the Republican a call. streets, and for a short time it looked as Sunday list was a great day for the if the entire block of one-story buildings veteran elergyman, who in his lifetime together with the stocks in the different has been an earnest and successful work stores would be a total loss When the in the Methodist denomination and has fire was discovered the roof over been identified with the erection of no the saluon was all on fire and less than nine churches. Last fall the before the department could arrive Illinois conference sent him to take the fire had extended along under the charge of the Methodist church at Maroof to the buildings adjoining on the homet, where he found an old more west. A ladder was quickly thrown up covered edifice in which the people had to the roof and a hole cut in the roof, worshipped for half a century. through which a stream of water was Pastor Weems resolved to have a new thrown and the blaze completely church built, and the resolution was car drowned out. The water soaked through ried into effect. Sunday the new church the ceilings and as a result the entire was formally dedicated with becoming confectionery stock of Gus Labhardt, adjoining the saloon on the west, is nati, delivered the sermon. The church completely soaked.

defaulter, was begun in the court at Hye with a stock of furniture and gen- Six hundred dollars was raised Sunday. these escaped without damage. The Champaign county. It will seat com water skipped over the Hye store and fortably 500 people, and has department poured through the ceiling of F. H rooms for constant use. During the Bachman's store.

The roof is almost burned off the sathe four buildings will not exceed \$1000. He has a record of all his ministerial forward manner. He said the original and \$1,500 will place the block

the buildings were fully insured. The interior of the buildings and stocks are badly damaged by water, but all have a sufficient amount of insur-

PERSONAL MENTION.

F. W. Haines was in Peoria yesterday. Geo. W. Jones is in Dalton City to-day

W.T. Grout visited Mechanicsburg to-

Attorney C.C. Leforgee is confined to iis home by illness. D. L. Hughes is very sick at his home

n East North street.

James Johnson and sister, Miss Ida have returned to Ann Arbor to resume their studies. Richard Macmasters visited in Peru,

Ind, on Sunday and returned home yes terday morning. Mrs C. C. Mason returned to her hom

in Mt. Pulaski yesterday after a visit to Mrs. S. T. Curtis. Wayne Wilson returned Sunday from the Indiana unneral springs and is much mproved in health.

Edward Snyder has returned to his home in Blanchester, O., after a visit with Miss Maude Epler.

Miss Lora Condell will leave to-mor row for Godfrey to resume her studies at the Monticello Seminary. Mrs. J. W. Kennedy, sons and daugh

ter, returned yesterday from a visit of several days at Fort Wayne. Umted States Marshal W. B. Brinton a here yesterday en route to Spring-

field from a visit in Tuscola. Mrs. H. L. Ferguson of Bine Mound visited her mother, Mrs. L. Deel, on West Eldorado street Sunday.

Ambrose Wykoff of St. Louis has returned home after a visit in this city with Will Kelly on North Edward street.

Miss Stacia Steele has taken a position as bookkeeper and stenographer in the insurance office of H. L. Oldham.

Miss Retha Roark went to Jackson-

turing company.

are in the city to-day. Mrs. Porter and George Pomother and brother of Mrs. W. C. ler, are guests of Rev. and Mrs. W. C.

Allen Bevans left last night for a trip through lowa, Nebraeka, Dakota and Wisconsin in the interest of the house

Rev. Father Lammert left to-day for Estingham where he will reside. A large Ewing and Dessie Hamsher. But one Clearance Sale is about to be number of his former church members

Alva Johnson who has been in the city for the holidays left this morning Mrs. E. F. Pannell who has been in

William Bullard and family went to Mechanicsburg yesterday after a visit with C. C. Radchiff and family. They ire on their way home after a trip in the

TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOUR,

The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth Settled. The case of The People vs. Madison

Green was settled in the office of orado, was elected the first mayor, and Madison Green, the defendant, winter weather is a batch of pancakes made C. C. Post clerk and attorney. The first aldermen were Franklin Priest, E. O. Smith, J. R. Gorin, S. P. Ohr, J. J. Ballentine and H. Taylor, two for each of the four wards. John W. Hartley was in marriage. The affair was thus the four wards. John W. Hartley was in marriage. the four wards. John W. Hartley was in marriage. The affair was thus thrown out of court, and Madison paid all the costs, which footed up \$10.30, which amount included the wedding

BUILT A NEW CHURCH.

The Fred Wedel Block on East Dedicated Sunday Under the Direction of Rev. T. D.

Rev. T. D. Weems was in the city last ceremonies. Dr. Cranston, of Cincin cost \$6,151.91, and it is all paid for with The next store was occupied by David \$50 on the right side of the ledger. past 30 years Rev. Weems has received 4,000 persons into the church and has oon and the damage to the roof over officiated at the marriage of 201 couples. acts. It is the purpose of Rev. Weems good shape. Fred Wedel to make Decatur his home when he rais the owner of the block and he stated tires from the ministry. He owns property here.

NOT LIKE OUR PRINCES.

A Spirited Scene in the Council at Oakland-Talk of the Town.

OAKLAND, Ill., Jan. 6.-The fight among the Prince Orients New Year's night is the talk of the town. The Orients arranged for a grand time, and about 50 of them gathered at the Opera house to initiate ten candidates.

Two of the reading officers in the order are Grand Pada Shaw L. T. Yeargin, and Grand Floor Manager Logan Cash.

There seemed to have been some personal trouble between Yeargin and Cash before the meeting, and when the Grand Pada Shaw began to give the Grand Floor Manager orders he walked up and tnocked Yeargin down. Then some of the brothers interfered, and were given the same treatment by the Grand Floor Manager

The candidate who was being initiated at the time saw what was going on and was heard to say: ."If that is what is going on I want to get out of here." The Princes had great trouble in

getting the floor manager quiet, and had to do so by throwing him down stairs.

IN MEMORIAM.

Ladies' Assembly No. 1, U. R. Knights of Pythias.

Your committee appointed to submit esolutions upon the death of our beloved sister's husband, C. C. Stoddard, who died Dec. 14, 1895, submit the fol

Resolved, That we extend our deepest sympathy to the Lereaved wife. We can only acknowledge that the affliction is God's will over in the beautiful land to which we trust your life companion has gone. We may not doubt he is free from the pains he so long endured here.

Resolved. That we also set to be a set of the pains he so long endured here. Resolved, That we extend our deepest Resolved, That we also extend our sympathy to the grief-stricken parents and brother. Therefore

Resolved. That the resolutions be spread upon the records of our assembly and that a copy be sent to the family.

MRS. W. B. CHAPMAN,

MRS. P HALMBACHER, MRS. MAX ATLAS,

Afternoon Card Party.

An afternoon card party was given An afternoon card party was given yesterday from 2530 to 6 o'clock by Miss Grace Hamsher, at her home on West William street. The game played was six handed euchre. The hours were from 2:30 to 6, and refreshments were served on the card tables. Miss Hamsher was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Henry Elwood, Mrs. Harry Hamsher, and Misses Leone Moore, Zella

THE Fortnightly club will meet again Friday night.

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Flour

The kind that satisfies. The most appe

HERE'S OUR CUARANTEE.

R. T. DAYIS MILL CO., St. Joseph, Ma

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Great January Clearing Sale!

Special Sales in All Departments.

All Special Lots Marked with Price Tickets. Greatest Winter Sale Ever Heard Of.

HOSIERY AND GLOVES.

Ladies Silk Plaited Hose, worth \$1, at 33c a pair. Ladies Kid Mitters, for top, at 39c a pair. Ladies' Rid Gloves at 49c a pair.

FUR CAPES.

If you want a fur garment now is the time to buy, as they are just one half price.

One lot of Muffs at 75c. One lot of Boas at 75c.

CLOTH CAPES AND JACKETS.

We sell this week regardless of price all our fine gar-

One lot at \$5. One lot, full weight Jackets, 98c.

JANUARY COTTON SALE.

Our cotton sale this year will be exceptionally interestng to economical housekeepers. Our regs well known to be the event of the year. Our regular cotton sale

Bales of 36 inch brown muchn at 2% a yard.
Fine 36 inch brown sheeting at 31% a yard.
Boxes of 36 inch bleached muchin at 5c a yard.
Fine bleached cottons, extra soft finish, especially adapted for underwear, sale price 61% a yard. All our best makes of bleached cottons, including Lons An our test makes of bleached vectors, including dale, Fruit of the Loom, etc., at 6½ c a yard.

45-inch bleached pillow casing at 11½ c a yard.
Best quality bleached pillow tubing 13½ c a yard.
9.4 bleached sheeting, fine quality, 15c a yard.
9.4 bleached sheeting, best makes, 17½ c a yard.

JANUARY BLANKET SALE.

Balance of Blankets now in stock must be sold. Stock is not overcrowded, but well assorted. Come and take your choice while you need them. Lamb fleece 10 4 white blankets 49c a pair.

Fine cak tan 10.4 blankets, jacquard border, \$1.25 a pair. Extra heavy mixed grey blankets, a bargain at \$1.19. 20 pairs only in this lot, large size, canitary, grey or tan lankets the \$25 bind for \$21.20.

blankets, the \$3 kind for \$1 GB.

18 pairs in this lot. Fine all wool blankets, white or grey, sold for \$4. Think of all wool blankets for \$2.19 a pair.
12 pairs in this lot, white, grey and scarlet 10 4 wool blankets our sellers at \$4.25. Your choice while they last

at \$2.49 a pair.

22 pairs in this lot. Finest all wool blanket, scarlet or sanitary, purest colors, regular price \$5.50, they will go quick at \$3.75
All our bed comforts will be sacrificed. Special lots of

All our bed comforts will be sacrificed. Special lots of extra values at 39c, 69c, 94c, and \$1.19 each Bed Pillows, just two lots, extra weight ticking, good feathers at 89c and 98c cach.

One odd lot of yarn. Spanish, Starlight, German Knitting and Springfield, black only, your choice at 121₂c skein.

HATS, LEGGINGS AND SKIRTS.

Children's Winter Hats 5c. 25c and 39c. Children's Winter Leggings 19c, 59c and 69c. Ladies' Leggings 35c, 19c and 75c. Winter Skirts 25c, 39c, 49c, 69c, 69c, and \$1.25. Another big cut in fine Dress Goods. All our fine goods at 95c, other lines 15c, 25c, 39c and 49c a yard.

HORSE BLANKETS AND ROBES.

Balance of our stock will be sold this week re sardless of values. Our patrons needing horse blankets will find rare bargaras. Come in and examine them.

Clearing Up Sale.

UR Clearing up Sale will include everything in Boots and Shoes. We must have money, and realizing that the people will buy when they can get goods at a bargain we have concluded to put everything in the way of footwear down to prices within the reach of the most careful We quote you for this sale only a few sample prices:

> Men's Enameled Calf Shoes with invisible cork soles. Our former price was \$5.00; we will now sell them for \$3.50.

> Our Hanan & Son's Shoes in all styles lasts. Our former price \$5.00; we will now sell at \$3,50.

> Edwin C. Burt's Ladies' Enameled Calf Button Shoes, bought to sell at \$5.00. They are just the thing for winter wear, as they will keep the feet warm and dry. We will sell them at \$3.00 a pair during this sale.

> We also have about 300 pairs of Ladies' Fine Shoes in plain toes, sizes 2½ and 3, in all grades, made to sell at from \$2 to \$4. a pair. We will hand them out to the people at only 69c a pair and will sell one pair or one hundred pairs, just as you

We want to get cash, and if good goods and low prices are any inducement come and examine our stock. Our annual invoice takes place March 1, and we are determined to turn \$10,000 worth of these goods into money before that time. Now is the time—you will never do better.

F. H. COLE SHOE CO., B. F. BOBO, Manager.

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148 East Main Street.

THE LUMBER INDUSTRY.

Been Developed by It.

Wherein Timber Cutting and Larging in all the Lo

from the Same Operations in the North

Special New Orleans for the

Lumbering in northern forest where the ox teams can great load of oak and beech and maple over white roads of crackling snow, is familiar to thousands of homes. The joys and hardships connected with elearing away the trees from the farms of Michigan, New York and Pennsylvania, as well as of the New England stat s, have been a common experience through many renerations. In another, part of the e gutty the people are just in small beginning the work, and it is to them; a novel experience. The southern states are realizing the wealth there cypress pine and live oak, and with a remarkable energy are hurrying to the

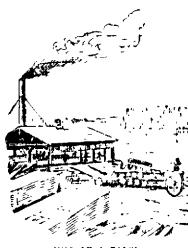
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es in this lid, white, grey and searlet 10.4 wool to be sellers at \$4.25. Your choice while they last this lot. Finest all wood blunket, scarlet or porest colors, regular price \$5.70, they will go

on from first will be sacrificed. Special lots of the 190 p. 300, 900, and \$1.19 each. os ar and, contract, and with each.

Lows, jest two nots, extra weight ficking, good, it to an all the each. Spanish, Starlight, German Kuitcounted it block only, your choice at 121ge skein.

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Many Parts of the South Have Been Developed by It.

Wherein Timber Cutting and Logging in Georgia, Arkansas and Louislana Differ from the Same Operations in the North.

Special New Orleans Letter.

Lumbering in northern forests, where the ox teams haul great loads of oak and beech and maple over white roads of crackling snow, is familiar to thousands of homes. The joys and through the doors of the mill a clerk hardships connected with clearing through the doors of the mill a clerk quickly measures it, thus recording away the trees from the farms of Michigan, New York and Pennsylvania, the exact and the workshop. us well as of the New England states, have been a common experience through many generations. In another part of the country the people are just a small car, it is held by four men beginning the work, and it is to them while the car whizzes back and forth, a novel experience. The southern at each forward motion pressing the states are realizing the wealth their log against a buzz-saw which slices people possess in the vast forests of away a two-inch strip. Soon the log cypress pine and live oak, and with a remarkable energy are hurrying to the The slabs pass down a succession of

Modern methods in timber cutting and marketing are not like the old smaller and smaller as different kinds ways, and a visit to a southern lumber of boards and timbers are sawed out, camp would be a revelation to the oiltime choppers who did so much by Such of these as will make fence pickmere force of muscle that is now a motter of pulling levers in a machine, the remainder is carried up another Boys do the work that half a dozen men could not have accomplished in the old times, and the rapidity of the transformation from a growing tree to finished lumber is marvelous.

Through the long days and by electrie light all through the warm nights scores of sawmills in Georgia, Mississippi and Louisiana are eating into the timber growth. In Georgia fears are expressed by many well-informed men that the state will lose its forests entirely if the heedless slaughter of the complished are enormous compared trees goes on. In Louisiana, even, this with the slower progress in more fear has commenced, despite the fact frigid climes. In Mississippi and that there are stretches of forest land Louisiana the workmen in midwinter so extensive that were a party of choppers to commence at one side their mills stripped to the waists, yet the track at the beginning would be grown perspiration rolls from their budies. track at the beginning would be grown perspiration rolls from their budies.

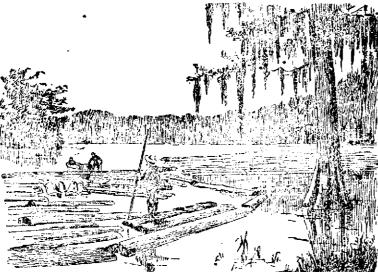
It is a new experience for the workmen reached the opposite one. All northern of the south and is a far more weari-Louisiana and southern Arkansas are a vast woodland with massive trees of cypress and pine 30 feet high without by the woodchoppers through the al-

THE LUMBER INDUSTRY, ward a portion of the bank which is opposite a noisy sawmill. Now it is that the most interesting feature of lumbering begins.

A long chute, made of heavy planks, wide at the top and tapering to a point at the bottom, leads from beneath the surface of the water up an inclined plane into the mill. An endless chain with projecting books runs in the buttom of the trough, and the logs are steered by the woodman over this until one of the projections catches its lower surface. Then steadily, but slawly, the heavy log mounts the incline, seeming to move of itself. As it slides the exact amount of timber entering

In the next 15 minutes the leg goes through a transformation. Rolled to tables, where the strips, handled by boys and young men chiefly, become chute or earrier outside the mill and dumped into the fireplace of the luge engine house, thus serving to furnish chinery. Nothing is wasted in the modern mill-even the sawdust is utilized in the farnace.

The conthern logging camps lack much of the interest that cold weather, big erackling fires and blankets of are in their shirt sleeves, or inside the some task than tilling cotton or rice. Curious, indeed, are the paths made most illimitable reaches of timber



SOUTHERN LOG PEN AND BOOM.

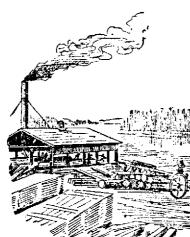
into the heart of this wooded section straight as arrows, reaching high into and the trees, felled by modern appli- air and as regular as telegraph poles, onces and sawed into proper lengths, only closer, much closer, together,

ances and sawed into proper lengths, are loaded in a twinking to the flatears for sending to mill or market.

But not all or even a considerable portion is thus transported. All through the great pine regions of the south are rivers and bayeus leading to ward the Gulf of Mexico. Lakes are here and their still waters reflect overhanging boughs draped in Farther inland, it may well cause unforced in the surface only closer, much closer, together, together, and there are formed in like and miles these are formed in places and their shade and thies and miles these are formed in Fayette comay; well improved, 5 to 25 acres of the south's most substantial resources.

Many fear lest the wholesale denuding the same trained, and the first in bringing them about are proving one of the south's most substantial resources.

Many fear lest the wholesale denuding to solarge a territory may decrease the rainfall, but this is not likely in sections near the Gulf coast. Farther inland, it may well cause unsubstantial resources.



MILL ON A BAYOU.

the beautiful Spanish moss, swayed by the soft southern breezes. Toward these the logs are rafted, splendid piece ; of timber suitable for being transformed the building trades of the nation

Noisy steam tugs lead the logs down the streams, guiding the unwieldy burdens around the curves of winding rivers and at last into the "boom" where acres and acres of logs lie closely together in the quiet waters, kept from drifting away by a line of their fellows which, bound together, make a continuous circular barrier on the outer edge of the gathering. It is a quaint sight—these great fields of logs, some moss-grown and others losing the ly together in the quiet waters, kept quaint sight—these great fields of logs, some moss-grown and others losing the bark that once inclosed them. It is like a herd of cattle at a "roundup" awaiting the calling-out process by awaiting the calling-out process for a like a like the chosen for which in turn all shall be chosen for

And the method of selecting the logs

The railway lines push spurs directly | On either side stand the tall trees,

Farther inland, it may well cause uncessiness, so extensive is the business PORSALE—Good residence property of south the street.

PORSALE—Good residence property of south the excelled. Call and see samples. II. White, 258 North Water street. becoming. While it is profitable, how ever, the work is not likely to cease. CHARLES MOREAU HARGER.

How to Repel Moths.

Housekeepers who have depended on camphor, pepper, cedarwood and the like as preventives against moths will be surprised to learn that although these substances are distasteful to insects under ordinary conditions they cannot be relied upon. This is proved by the fact that moths have been known to hatch in an atmosphere impregnated with camphor. As moths will work in warm rooms in winter as well as in summer it behooves us to be vigilant, and to use during all seasons some reliable moth-repellant. It is said by those who have tried it that a barrel or keg in which whisky has been kept is the most reliable place known for the preservation of furs. Keep in a dry place and examine occasionally. When furs are put away for the summer they should be beaten with a small cane and carefully combed through and then sewed up in into clean, straight grained lumber for linen or muslin carefully turned in at the edges.-Pittsburg Dispatch.

Adulteration of Drugs.

Dr. Tucker, the chemist of the New York state board of health, has been looking into the question of the adulteration and deterioration of drugs with

A Maine Woman Farmer.

A woman of Bowerbank, Me., has is not unlike that of choosing the cat-tle. A woodman armed with a long pole, of which one end hears a spear-the cattle, cutting and storing the hay. like iron head, walks with careful and practiced step from one to another and produce to market with a yoke of half pushes, half pulls the trunks to- oxen.

STOP THAT.



Annoying Cough of yours. There's no necessity of its continuance, for a bottle of

Bell's Cough Syrup

will stop your suffering and lessen the annoy ance to your family and friends. Made from a recipe of Dr. C. G. Webster, one of Chicago's anotipated throat and lung specialists. For al-

Throat and Lung Troubles It is invaluable. A bottle should be in every house in Decatur, and the price, 20c, puts it within the reach of all.



Corner North Main

and North Streets.

BARGAIN COLUMN.

For Sale, For Rent. Wanted, Etc.

Advertisements of Forty words or less may he inserted in this column at the rate of 25. cents per week,psyable invertably in advanc

WANTED-You to call at 716 East Eldorack street for bargains in all kinds of second land goods. Also a full line of new Thiware and Household Novelties at lowest prices. Good price paid for second-hand goods. D. H. Hight, Jan 1-46

WANTED-A good girt to do general house-work; ao washing. Good reference re-ceired. Mrs. W. H. Eiwood, 724 West Willam street.

WANTED—Everyone to try our Blue Label bréad, sold by all grocery stores. Three loaves for 10 cents, eight loaves for 25 cents. Decatur Cracker Co.

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E some good work horses, and a few good single drivers, which I will sell cheap, for cash, or
on time, or on easy payments. One good work
team for \$25. Apply at my sale stable at west
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FOR SALE-80x182 fine building lot, east front on North Church street; can be bought for \$800 if sold this month, on accounted closing partnership business. This is a snap; look it up. Feter H. Brueck, iteal Estate Broker. 255 North Main street. Nov 15 dif.

FOR SALE—Nice lot, 40x182 on North Union street, fronts east, 8375 bays it; owner wants money. This lot will be worth \$300 in the spring. Fave horse and buggy at office to show you the property. Peter H. Brucck, Real Estate Broker, 255 North Main street. Nov 15-diff

NOR SALE—Eight hundred dollars buys three I mee east front building lots, 40x182 each, up North Church street, One-half east, bulance casy. You can make 40 per cent on these lots by holding until spring. Come and let n.e show them. Peter H. Brueck, real estate broker, 255 North Main.

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LOST, FOUND, ETC.

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B ARGAINS IN CITY PROPERTY. 50 feet, street - \$2.500.

5 feet corner lot, 5-room house on N. Water,

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lage mone on tast windam street. A shap it taken at once, \$1000cmsh buys an equity in fine modern stroom house on West Eldorado. \$125 each and \$15 per month buys a nice 5-room house on West Packard street. We have some fine vacant lots in different parts of the city for sale or trade for introver property.

property.
We have some fine residence properties in dif-ferent parts of the city worth \$100 to \$5,00 to trade on farms.
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THE Blue Grass Carriage stop. Your vehicle insured and stored at my risk free of cost, if repairs or repainting is necessary for spring use. Occurs of good dry room, and I want one to two bundred vehicles on these terms. Corner of East Main and Franklin streets. Jan6-dff

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PENSIONERS, ATTENTION:—Will be in my office, Opera House Block, January 4, 1886, from early morning until late in the evening, and pensioners are requested to bring pension certificates so that vonchers may be properly executed. M. SHEA, Pension Attorney. 31:463

REMOVAL.—Miss Mary Nesbitt,
Inform her patrons and friends that she has removed to 228 North Main street, with Miss E.
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N OW is the time to place your orders for wire flower stands. We have them in great variety of styles and prices. They are not expensive and just the thing. Faust & Howe, als North Water,

MIDWAY HEIGHTS—can at Room 514 Ardade, and see Messrs, O'Brien & Larkin
about Texas lands. Greatest layestment of the
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the state. Don't miss this chance. octis-dis

HAIR WORK.—Ladles' hair dressing and trimming in all styles of the art neatly done by Miss Irons Bunch for Mrs. Archie Ward, 119 per pound for German Egg Vermicella. North Main street, Northwest corner Old Square A styles of hair work neatly done. Oct 21-dtf

ALL YOU CAN EAT.—Do you know that Ed.

A Day at his restaurant, 627 North Water
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lev. Geo. F. Hall, preaches at the Christian Taber nacle every hunday at 10/45 and 7/36 Sanday School at 9/30. The public our dially invited. 1,400 good scats, all free Large Chorus-Choir, and song books for everybody. Picture Sermons and Sacred Sunday Evening Concerts frequently. "Christ Our Only Creed The Bible Our Only Guide."

Stockholders' Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the People's Savings and Loun Association will be held at its office in the city of Decatur, on the held at its office in the city of Decatur, on the hours of 130 p. m. and 9 of clock p. m., for the election of such the business as may come before the meeting Decaum, fillhols, fannary oft, 1886.

ALBERT BARNES, Secretary, jan6 d2w

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MERRY CHRISTMAS! Well, we should say so! Delighted crowds thronged our store Monday and Tuesday from early morning till late at night, notwithstanding the false and malicious reports circulated by crippled competitors. They might as well try to turn back the waters of Niagara Falls as to stop the people from coming to the Golden Rule.

There is every reason why we are thankful for the liberal patronage from our many customers. In our old store the people gave us their confidence and trade, and in our mammoth three-story brick building they have enlarged our trade and have made the business of this year simply beyond anything that we figured on or expected. In thus showing their appreciation of our enterprise the people not only profit as but they profit the city. By making our store successful they convince the outer world that Decatur has blossomed out into a city not only great in the minds of an enthusiastic people. but great in fact and worthy of all the good things that may be said of her. As part of this greatness we are thankful.

Hoping we may have your good wishes for the coming year, we wish you all a happy New Year.

A Few Prices That Will Save You Dollars. 30c per Bushel. 25c

Five cars northern potatoes, Rose, for 3-pound bucket Cottoline Burbank, White Star and Beauty He-brus. All go next week at 30c per bushel. Fine, large and mealy.

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for 15-pound bucket all kinds of Jelly.

for all sizes of Lamp Flues.

for five gallone of Gasoline

for 5-gallon keg New Sorghum.

for one gallon New Surghum.

per galion new Sauerkraut.

per can for Eagle Canned Milk.

for 2-pound package Buckwheat.

per pound for German Egg Neodles

for a can Hiland Vap. Cream.

for 5-pound bucket Cottoline 90c for 50 pounds best Minnesota flour. for 10-pound bucket Cottolina

75c 7c for 50 pounds of good Baking Flour. per can for good Corn.

for 8 pounds hand-picked Navy Beans. per can for best Tourstoes

20c for 6 pounds of New Lima or Butter Beans. per dozen for fresh Eggs. 10c

for 6 pounds of Three Crown Raisens. 15c per dozen for good Lemons. for 3 packages of New Rolled Oats. 10c

per quart for Sound Cranberries

45c

80c

25c per package Preston's California Break-fast Food. for 8 bars Lenox Soap. 15c 10c

per package Preston's Panealte Flour per pound for White Clover Honey. 25c for 2-gallon bucket. White Drip Syrup, for 5-pound best Cleaned Currents

25° for 2 cans of best Pear.

25c for 2 cans of good. Peas. 1 C

per sack Peanuts. 25c for 4 packages Now Mince Meat

25c for 2 pounds of home-made Mince Meat

25c for 3 pounds of good Mince Meat, such as others sell for 121%c per pound.

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Any \$5, \$6 and \$7 Ladies' Jacket in the House

For \$3.00!

and everything else in proportion.

Every Blanket and Comfort must be sold at some price as we have entirely too many.

Our Great SLAUGHTER SHOE and DRY GOODS SALE will commence on January 2nd. Watch us.

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WILL THE SYNDICATE TAKE THE SNUB?

A Prediction that When the Bonds are Let the Morgan Syndicate Will be Found to Have All or the Lion's Share.

posais for \$100,000,000 four-per-cent. Capitol hotel. Judge Holt and Mr. Streator was raided by burglars recently down and from \$20 to criticism pointed at the president for within the part of hours. his assumed intention of making In the democratic race there were no another private sale to a syndicate.

new developments to-day Senator tween the Boers and the followers of Blackburn and ex-Gov. McCreary are Dr. Jamieson. loan theory, but that by no means cuts both working away and keeping a out the Morgan syndicate or any other serene surface on things. Interest in syndicate. Neither will it do to the democratic and republican house jump to the conclusion that the and senate caucuses has caused the action of the administration has current of excitement to deviate from "busted" the big New York the senatorial contest somewhat. gold syndicate organized by Mr. Mor- When the organization of the chamgan on the assumption that the sub-bers shall have been completed, the scribers thereto will prefer bidding forces of the various candidates will individually to paying the great financier one per cent. commission fee for handling their subscriptions. It will not be a difficult matter for Mr. Morgan to show that they can save several ladies seeking the nomination for state times the one per cent. commission by standing by the syndicate. He may be able to prove to the satisfaction of the members of his blind pool that by keeping out of the competithere is a strong opposition to her. tion he can let them have their allotment at \$1.10 or \$1.12, which would cost them \$1.15 or more. The prevailing belief is that the Morgan syndicate will yet scoop in the bonds, and that it will come in on several propositions-one to take the whole lot at a rate a shade above three per cent., and others for \$75,000,000 and \$50,000,000 at rates less advantageous to the government. Individual bids may run as high as 1 20 for many millions in the aggregate, and yet the offers be rejected in favor of one for the \$100,000,-

Any big syndicate like that formed by Mr. Morgan will remain practically master of the situation, if it can be held together These people have control of a very large proportion of the available stock of gold, and with this advantage to begin with it is not safe to bet too strongly on the dissolution of the combination. To make arrangements in the next 30 days to take \$100,-000,000 of any kind of money off the American market is a monster undertaking. Where gold, and only gold, is wanted, the difficulties attaching to

the project increase.

Practical men in Washington have little faith in the success of the popular loan feature of the deal, but a great deal of satisfaction is expressed among friends and enemies of the administration alike at the determination of the president to make this sale out in the open instead of the secrecy of a

Representative Walker, chairman of the banking committee, said this morning in commenting on the bond

"In view of the rapid payment since the war of the enormous debt of over \$2,000,000,000, and the general determination of our people to be out of debt, for the president to issue 30-year bonds, when he is empowered to issue 10-year bonds, is an outrage past expression. Mr. Cleveland will receive the execration of the people for increasing by so great an amount the public debt for a generation. Thuse bonds will be dated back one year. and if that is legal, I do not see why they could not have been dated back 25 years. The course of Mr. Cleveland in defeating the granting to him the power to issue the five-year bonds proposed by Mr. Sherman at the end of the fifty-second congress and his opposition to the proposal of Mr Reed and myself in the fifty-third congress to issue short-term bonds, makes his present issue of bonds of the longest possible term exceedingly difficult to explain, especially in view of his demanding of this congress the very power that he has three times prerented congress from granting him. Moreover, the manner in which this so-called popular loan is invited foredooms it to defeat Popular loans must always carry a small commission to secure their negotiation."

Members of congress are generally disinclined to say anything over their names upon the merits of the proposed bond issue. A popular loan meets with approval, but some insist that certain features of the proposal will thwart that end, such as the large size of the issue and the fact that it must be paid in 25-per-cent, installments, one on acceptance of bid and others ten days apart. The syndicate was given a number of months instead of 40 days, in which to make its deposits. Some question still exists as to the wisdom and legality of dating back the issue for one year.

The Morgan People Will Take Time to

New York, Jan. 7.-J. Pierpont Morgan, the head of the bond syndicate, said this afternoon: "I am not prepared to say what course the syndicate will persue. There is thirty days in which to think over the matter. No one has yet withdrawn from the syndicate. I do not see why people who desire to bid for bonds should not be able to get gold. The syndicate has no corner in it.

The German Banks Don't Want IL Berlin, Jan. 7 .- The Deutsche bank group which proposed to take part of

THE NEW BOND ISSUE, They assert that there is no market in Germany for a four-per-cent, coin loan

THE KENTUCKY SENATORSHIP. Dr. Hunter Still the Favorite with Prospects Increasing...The Ludies

in the Case. FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan 7.-The republican senatorial race stands to-night where it has since yesterday. Dr. Hunter still continues the favorite with increased prospects of securing nomination on the first ballot. The other candidate + have not relaxed in their efforts, however, and they promise, should Dr. Hunter fail to secure a

get down to working order.

While some of the senatorial candidates want the nominating caucuses delayed as long as possible, the dozen librarium want them over at once and have been pulling to that purpose. Mrs. Pay, the present incumbent, has there is a strong opposition to her. THE MOZAMBIQUE REBELLION

Practically Ended by the Capture of Gun-

gunhama and His Son-WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 .- Consul-Generaf Taveira, charge d'affaires of the Portuguese legation here, yesterday afternoon received the following eablegram from his government at Lisbon in regard to the Mozambique (east coast of Africa) rebellion.

"Gungunhama and his son, Gudide, have been imprisoned by Capt. Moudenlio. They have already reched Lorenzo Marques, and will be conveyed at once to Lisbon on board the Portuguese troop-ship Africa. The strong-

est enthusiasm prevails at Lisbon." The consul-general says this practically ends the rebellion which has ocen in progress in Mozambique for over a year. Gungunhama and his son ire African chiefs who have caused the ortuguese colony a great deal of trouole for years past and the government ras spared no pains or expense to catch

PRAISED THE PORTE

Gets Credit for Praising the Red-Handed Murderers at Biridjik.

London, Jan. 7.-Telegraphing under date of January 5 the corresponlent of the United Press at Constanti- troops. iople says United States Minister Terell recently addressed a letter to the Porte praising its action in connection with the Biridjik massacre.

A detachment of troops have arrived at Amtab since the massacre at Birld-

The official journals of Constantinoole announce that United States Minister Terrell has praised the conduct of the troops at Biridjik. The government, the correspondent says, distributes daily at Palu, 55 miles north Biarkekir, half a loaf of bread to each of the starving inhabitants. The rabble assemble at the place where the distribution is made and the officials whose duty it is to see that the bread s distributed, throw the loaves into

AMERICA ALSO WAITING

On the "Prompt" Action of the Turk in

Righting Wrongs. longer any denial that the big armored ruiser New York and probably two vessels in Admiral Hunce's squadron, if not the entire fleet, now lying at Hampton Roads, have been ordered to be in readiness for a voyage across the ocean to Gibraltar in case the Turkish government does not promptly acquiesce in Minister Terrell's peremptory demands upon the porte for immediate and full reparation for destruction to American property and injuries to American citizens

by Turkish subjects. In any event, it is understood that the cruiser New York may leave for the Mediterranean any moment, the departure of other vessels depending on the contingencies of the Turkish attitude undergoing a material change.

DEATH OF CHARLES WEBB,

A Lineal Descendant of Robert Emmett, the Irish Patriot.

Спісадо, Jan. 7.—Charles Webb, who was a lineal descendant of Robert Emmett, the Irish patriot, and who had been a resident of this city since 1853, died at his home at 12 o'clock Sunday

night He was born on Valencia island, off County Kerry, in 1817, and came to New York when a boy, estab-lishing a wholesale shoe business. He engaged in the same business here and retired 15 years ago. While a resident of New York he married Sarah Rowan, a member of the Stokes family of Rhode Island. In his early life he was closely connected with the principal events associated with the home-rule movement in Ireland and this country His father, Thomas Nash Webb, was a prominent figure in Ireland's early

struggles for freedom. The Sugar Trust Senatorial Bribery Cases. the Sugar trust senatorial bribery cases was called yesterday morning in the new American loan, upon learning that the bond issue called for by Mr.

Chapman of New York, on an indicate the court, being that of E. R. Chapman, of New York, on an indict. Carlisle would be a home loan for which 1.08 would be effered in the westigning committee's questions.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

-The German emperor yesterday gave an audience to Dr. Leyd, secretary of state of the South African re-

-The senate committee on finance, almost immediately after it went into session yesterday, ordered a free coinage bill to be reported to the senate.

-The Spanish minister to Washing. ton discredits the reported panic in Havana and the rumors that the city is about to fall into the insurgents' hands

-A dispatch received from Pretoria "The form of the invitation for proposals for \$100,000,000 four-per-cent. 30-year bonds has measurably disarmed criticism pointed at the president for his assumed to have gained ground to have gaine

the wounds received in the fight be-

-With the impressive ceremony cusomary on such occasions. Hon. Rufus W. Peckham was, at noon yesterday formally inducted into office as associ ate justice of the supreme court of the United States. -It is reported that Emperor Wil-

liam yesterday assured the Transvaal sceretary of state that the triple alliance would recognize the independence of the South African republic, and that Germany would appoint a resident at Pretoria instead of a consul. -Dispatches received from Cape Town say that the resignation of Cecil

Rhodes, as prime minister of Cape Colony, has been accepted by Gov. Sir Hercales Robinson, and Sir Gordon Sprigg, treasurer of the Cape government has been appointed in his place.

—A new journal, the first printed in Corean type, has made its appearance in Seoul. It is entitled The Capital

News Report and appears every other day. The editorial tone of the paper favors governmental reforms along the line of systems prevailing in west

-The fertilizer factory of the United States and Canada degressing works at Williamsburg, N Y, blew up yeserday. There were 25 men employed in the factory, and it is believed that there were at least five persons caught in the ruins. Two men were taken out unconscious.

-Four men were descending the 900foot shaft of the Luke Fidler colliery at Shamokin. Pa., yesterday., All went well until they had been lowered to a distance of 300 feet from the bottom, when the rope caught and the men were thrown headlong down the shaft to instant death.

-A dispatch from Havana to the Madrid Imparcial says that Sunday the rebel forces under Gomez passed Managua, 13 miles from Havana. They were marching westward and burning all the towns in their path They were nearly all mounted, and thus enabled to clude the Spanish

—Gov Morton of New York has respited Bat Shea, who was to have been electrocuted at Dannemora prison for the murder of Robert Ross, until February 4, because of the confession purporting to have been made by John McGough, a companion of Shea's on the day of the murder, to the effect that he (McGough) did the killing. the day of the murder, to the effect that he (McGough) did the killing.

THE IOWA LEGISLATURE. The Approaching Session the Most Important for Many Years.

DES MOINES, Ia., Jan. 7.-The twenty-fifth general assembly of Iowa will convene next Monday at 10 o'clock. It will be the most important session in many years, and already the politicians and lobbyists are on the ground in large numbers, and the hotels are crowded as if a political convention

There are many matters of great importance in the line of legislation to come up for consideration, the question of re-submitting to the voters of the state the constitutional amendment to incorporate prohibition in the fundamental law of the state, and the demand for a law to legalize the manufacture of liquors in the state, being

THE OHIO LEGISLATURE.

Ex-Gov. Foraker to Succeed Senator vin S. Brice.

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.—The Ohio legislature convened yesterday. The house chose D. L. Sleeper speaker, John R. Molloy chief clerk and Andrew Jackson sergeant-at-arms. The senate chose J. C. Hutsinpiller president protem., Alexander Cain chief clerk and

R. F. Hayward sergeant-at-arms. The most important work of the session will be the election of a United States senator to succeed Calvin S. Brice. The honor will go to ex-Gov. Foraker. He has no opposition. The minority vote will be cast for Mr. Brice, There are said to be several democrats in the general assembly, however, who will refuse to support the senator.

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS. (First Session.)

HOUSE. WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—The senate was not in session to-day and the meeting of the house continued for only 26 minutes, in that time nothing of public interest occurred, although it had been expected that some notice would be taken of the published call for bids for the new bond issue. There was a proposition made for the Swearing in of Mr. Allen, as representative from the new state of Utan, but as his credentials were not officially signed by WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.-The first of the governor and secretary-but only unofficially-objection was made, and the matter was referred to the judici-

ary committee. The Treasury Gold Balance WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The treasury vestigating committee's questions. A gold reserve stood at the close of busi-United States, have announced that they consider it impossible for the German banks to take any part of it.

Vestigating committees questions. A gold reserve stood at the close of ounce they consider it impossible for the German banks to take any part of it.

Vestigating committees questions. A gold reserve stood at the close of ounce they consider it impossible for the German banks to take any part of it. Little masters, hand in hand, Let me in your presence stand, Till your silence solve for me This your threefold mystery.

Tell me—for I long to know— How, in darkness there below, Was your fairy fabric spun, Spread and fashioned, three in one?

Did your gossips gold and blue. Sky and Sunshine, choose for you. Ere your triple forms were seen, Suited hyories of green?

Can ye—if ye dwelt indeed Captives of a prison seed— Like the Genle, once again Get you back into the grain?

In your presence, hat in hand, Waiting till you solve for me This your threefold mystery? John R Tabb, in Youth's Companies

THE Santa Fe depot ticket office at

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Nearly Drove Mrs. Martin Hale Wild. How She Obtained Relief.

[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY RUADIES]



always the same story; my back would ache, I was dizzy and faint were terrible.

must have help right away. I resolved to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The results were marvellous. I have gained in every way, and am entirely cured." — Mrs. Martin Hale, Oakdale, Mass. Every druggist has it.



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other features. As women continue to rise in the es- not to muss the hair. timation of men, more and more demands are made upon them. In the stoles that are particularly appropriate ments. Then came the emancipated selves. female-the woman who was brilliant | One of those which the removal of a

been nearly all suited especially to dark hair. The gold and silver combs and even the paste diamonds did not thow off to advantage in golden tresses. Tortoise shell was very pretty but not startling, and the brunette with paste butterflies in her raven locks had the advantage of her golden-haired rival. The newest thing in hair ornaments is jet-sparkling cut jet that brings out the gold in hair as nothing else does. There are jet side combs, butterflies, daggers, etc., and the effect is very pretty.

Speaking of blondes and other beautics suggests the girls at the New Year's ball. I think they looked their prettiest in the dressing-room, before they took off their picturesque wraps. appearance except so far as her taste Queer how much time and trouble and money a woman will spend on a gar-Her face and figure perform some such | ment that she wears not more than office as the cabbage or lettuce does | 20 or 30 minutes at a time, one that in a salad-serve as a foundation for nobody sees except as she flits from her something bright and spicy as a dress- carriage to the ballroom and back ing. Indeed, when she is dressed for again when her evening's triumph is face that shows. The feathers on her knows better than she the power of hat have no inclination to confine that last fleeting vision which her victhemselves to their allotted places, but tim gets as he escorts her to her carpeep over the brim and lean away riage to bid her good night. It is the down es if curious to see what man- first impression and the lust that are ner of creature is this new bird that important, says Mme. Chumington to they adern. The feather collar, or the her fair pupils, as she instructs them fur boa conceals the lower part of her in the arts of fascination-hence the face and her neck, and her hair covers | five-minute opera cloak and the flimsy

her identity entirely, for all the indi- said formed a study for a charming viduality that is left her is the pair picture. One of the prettiest wore of sparkling eyes that gleam out from short cape of white brocade lined with the depths of feathers and fur and a faint, delicate, pink mottled silk; the velvet which frame her eyes, nose and distinguishing feature was the large mouth in a casing that conceals the hood that was wired at the edge to make it stand out from the face so a

beginning it was merely expected that for evening with dainty gowns. The woman be soft and round and beau- marabout feather is becoming so poputiful, and perhaps amiable. After that lar, indeed, and harmonizes so prettimen began to look for wives that could be useful—they must be good cooks and that they are introduced into the achousekeepers as well as pretty orna- tual composition of the gowns them-

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intellectually and conquered man on wrap disclosed, had shoulder straps of his own grounds, and man looked on the feathers, which made an agreeable her and beheld that she was good and variation from the much-worn flower



But now the brilliant woman is an old to tire of. and man demands something morebence, the picture woman. The picanimated art, the Niobe that comes to life, the portrait that walks out of the frame. In many respects she is the end of the last century woman remodown bewitching self-and that is her

chief charm.

The great freedom of choice in the present fashions is the secret of the artistic effects that are reached. What thems ever goes to make a pretty picture is fashionable. If your face requires a soft, unconventional setting, you can wear fluffy lace, collarettes and feather boas. But if you are on the Priscala pulms-which is an old novelty resurtype you can wear stiff collars buttoned tight around your neck with demure little cuffs to match. If your hair doesn't grow where it ought to the neck without the curve at the waist, would put it if he were painting an hips. ideal head with your eyes and nose and mouth as a foundation.

Apropos of hair, those girls who didn't look well with the part have adopted the pompadour. And there is such a temptation in the form of hair ornaments that it is probable some will affeet it to whom it is not becoming.

The holidays brought out a lot of the Christmas shopper. The pompathey are curved and the teeth are longare placed in very much the same pofeet. The single pompadour comb ins!" cried he. "Must Oi trow up me curves also, but is shorter than the job and go over ther and waste another others, and is placed at the top of the year or two in spinding that? It's a head with its teeth turned front, mak-ing a pompadour over the forehead workin man like thot. Oi'll sind word

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Modistes still continue to trim evening gowns with fur. There is a fancy to finish fur straps with miniature eled. But in some respects she is like buttons. Short strips of fur are used nothing else under the sun but her and much resemble the frogs on outside wraps The embroidery collars that were so

fashionable last summer are coming in again, with cuffs added to match Stove-pipe hats have a clump of fea-

thers at the side of the crown to give them a feminine touch. The new gloves have purses in the

rected. The most elegant wraps are the coats that do not fit: they hang from

around your forehead and temples you and may be either short like the box can brush it down to where the artist | coat or long enough to reach below the Finally the spring things have be

gun to appear, but its too cold to talk about them now.

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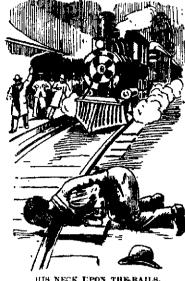
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folding both carefully, placed them upon the edge of the platform.

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After the shooting Miss Grier collapsed, and on arriving at the home of of her brother-in-law fainted. The young lady was returning to her home after having drawn her salary for the monts, and when on a lonely road in West Duluth was attacked by the man, who had evidently followed her. After a short struggle he tore her pocketbook from her grasp and started on a

Miss Grier, whose school is in a thir y settled portion of the city, has



MISS GRIER REGAN PIRING.

for weeks made a practice of carrying a revolver when alone. This she drew and began firing as fast as she could at the fellow. At the fourth shot he dropped the pocketbook and almost fell, but recovered himself and succeeded in making his escape. The pocketbook was found, with its contents, \$75, untouched.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS.

In the matter of the estate of John R. Wona cott, deceased, Cott, deceased,

Leaving Chicago and Dubuque January 29, 1836, in Pollman private cars, and including, on the return, the far-famed

Mardi Gras at New Orleans.

Init \$275 for all expenses of the round trip. Send for flustrated pampillet giving all particulars.

Homeseekers' Excursions South

At one fare for the round trip, plus \$200, on January 13 27, February 10 and March 10, 1986, and on January 14 28, Rebruary 11 and March 10, 1986, from stations east of Fort Dodge a had not state and take such action as you may deem best, and the Yazoo and Mississiph Valley raffroads, except Memphis and New Orleans.

Administrator's Notice. Estate of James A. Sponner, Decement.

Estate of James A. Speaner, Decement.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of James A. Speaner, icceased, inte of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, hereby gives not a that he will appear before the county court of Macon county. At the court house in Decaute, at the March text, at which those all persons having calms against said extate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indefined to said extate are requested to make immediate onlyment to the undersigned.

Dated this the day of Jamerry, 1986.

J. B. SPACK, Attorneys, James SPAC

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the County Court of Macon county, lifticos, in favor of James B. Osborne and arainst Lockenia Chappelow's I have levied upon the following described property, towit: Lost 5 and 6 Chappelow's subdivision of lot 14 of V. Barber's subdivision of the south part of the southeast quarter of section 4. Township 16, Range 2 east, 40 P. M., taken as the property of the said Lodemis Chafpelow, which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the court house in Decatur In Macon county, in said sixte, on the 21st day of January, 4, 1), 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m., of said day, for east in hand to satisfy said execution. ecution.
This sixt day of December, A. D. 1806.
J. P. NICHOLSON,
Dec 31-sitd. Shorth Macon County, Hillings.

Administrator's Notice. Estate of Conrad C. Pinnell, Deceased.

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The understreed having been appointed administrator of the estate of Conrad C. Pinnell, late of the county of Macon and state of Hanell, late of the county of Macon and state of Hanell, late for the county of Macon county in the court house in Decaure, at the March term on the lirst Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, Dated this 3d day of January, 1998.

Dated this 3d day of January, 1998.

Jan 3-day Administrator.

AUCTION SALE!

Over 200 Dinner Sets in Haviland, Vienna, and French Chinas will be sold at your own price. We are selling from six to ten sets a day. We are obliged to convert these goods MASONIC-Regular convocation of Macon Masons, at 7.50 this evening for the transaction of business and for the installation of officers for the ensuing into money at some price. If you year, A till is tequested expect to buy a dinner set in the next at Ord Fellow's hall, owner Main and William streets. Visiting brethren cordially invited to meet with us. J. H. Girrior, N. G. I. N. Maintin, N. G. I. N. Main now.

We put up for sale at auction any= thing in our stock==-DIAMONDS, WATCHES, LAMPS, ONYX TA-BLES, HANGING LAMPS, RINGS, JEWELRY, &c., &c., until we get by Johnny Weigand, are the best in mar 25. def the \$25,000 we started for.

We expect to lose money, perhaps five or six thousand dollars, but that loss is already "mourned for." Somebody is going to get every dinner set we have on hand.

Otto E. Curtis & Bro.

156 Past Main St .--- 113 North Water St.

SECOND WEEK OF January Clearance Sale

Fur Capes at \$5, \$8 50, \$10, \$12.50 and

Misses Jackets at \$3, \$3 50, \$4.50 and and 98c each. Misses Long Coats (with cape), at \$2.95, \$3.50, \$4.50 and \$5.

Plush Cloaks made over into Capes. New sleeves put into Cloaks of any

Men's Goods.

Men's Wool Shirts all to be closed ou Men's Shoes (congress or lace) to be closed out at 98 cents a pair, worth up

Grey Blankets at 75c, 98c, and \$1.50. All Wool Blankets at \$2.95, worth \$1. Ladies' Wool Vests at 39c, 50c, 65c,

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We place our entire stock of Carpets (ingrains only) on sale to close the stock

All the best Lowell and Hartford Wool Carpets to go at 48 cents a yard, Other makes of Carpet at 15c, 20c, 25c

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To purchase your Xmas goods of us is disastrous to he pocketbook, as the following prices will show: His home is at Mansfield in Piatt coug-

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TUESDAY, JAN. 7, 1896.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS.—Regular meeting of B Ray Leaf Camp, No. 29, R. N. of A., in F. S of A. hall this evening at 7 45 All members urged to be present. ETTA ANDREWS, Rec ELLA MILLER, Oracle.

LOCAL NEWS.

BOTTLE and bulk perfumes at Whit-

Cigars at \$100 per box and up at USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made

RUBBER hot water bottles, cut prices quaranteed. West's drug store.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR. THE young and the old, the strong and

the weak, eat "Friends' Oats." You can save money by taking your rescriptions to Irwin's Drug Store. TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOUR.

The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth. No substitute or cheap drug used as rescriptions at Whitley's.

FAMILY SYRINGES, of all kinds, cut rices. West's drug store. THERE is a case of scarletina at the

home of F. J. Pettyjohn, 1233 East Or-USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR

For 850 C. C. Caldwell and James Glick have made a bill of sule to S lerber & Son, to personal property.

THE Equal Suffrage society will meet next friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. I. K. Stafford on West Main street.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR. Mr. FRED CHURCH, will give his second rgan recital at St. John's church on

Synday evening next, the 12th inst. TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOUR, The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth

Dr. L. E. COONRADT, Dentist, rooms 42 and 43, Feuton block.

USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR CYRUS ALISON Wasso helplesely drunk last night that the officers making the arrest bad to get a wagon to haul him to jail. He had a gold watch and ₹3.15 on his person

The service at the First Presbyterian ance in the Rockford company for \$150. Pastor Hall was unanimously endorsed church last evening was well attended. evening this week, except Saturday, at 7:30 o'clock. Subject for to night: "The Church Universal."

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

Meeting Wednesday Night. There will be a meeting of Luculius Council No. 1, Princes of the Orient, on clock at the Coeur de Leon lodge hali, formerly Caldmet club rooms). Installation of officers. A full attendance of members is desired.

H. E. Hamsher, Scribbler. JOHN KAYLOR, Pa da Sha.

The Grand Master. Hon. Charles F. Mansfield, grand master of the Illinois Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, is in the city on an official visit. ty. He is also a Son of Veteran. He given by Tom McClelland, Fred Nieder-Pugh Camp, this city.

Inquisition.

This afternoon in the county court an icquisition will be held as to the alleged ineanity of Granville Meek, son of John F. Meek, a lad about 17 years of age.

Died of Spasms. Mattie, the little daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. W. H. McNamara, died of spasms Piatt county circuit court. It may last has paid off a mortgage of \$500 on the evening, the 6th. All the commercial on January 6, at the family residence at 6 p. m., aged 3 years.

Marriage Licenses.

pain. West's drug store.

DIPHTHERIA is almost epidemic in the outry five miles southeast of Hope-

THE new Sunday closing, law into effect in Champaign Sunday.

A Big Scare Caused by Gas Explosion—Slight Damage.

This forenoon the entire fire department was called out by a report that the Grand Opera House was again on fire. A great crowd gathered in a few moments, and everybody was looking for flames and smoke, but none could be seen. The firemen laid out the hose and ran to the rear and to the front, while citizens scurried up and down the stairways in the block looking for the fire which could not be located. Members of Coeur de Leon Lodge, Knights of Pythias, and Modern Woodmen, who had been burned out Nov. 4, were on the church who object to the further the spot for action, but in a few minutes it was learned that there was no fire and no need of excitement or water.

But there had been a fire, just the ame, on the second floor over the entrance to the hall, above where William Blank was engaged in decorating the entrance ceiling. It appears that Phil the fire and thus prevented the possible partly rebuilt opera house. It was a

The damage by water to the decorated coiling is no small item. The work will have to be done over, and Blank will have to work it out to the best advantage.

DIED THIS MORNING.

James Hart Passes Away After

Lingering Inness.

James Hart, after an illness extending over several years, died this morning at 3:29 o'clock at his home, No. 1309 North Water. The immediate cause of his the truth, and who preaches it, without continued to the breathern at large to have somewhat to say concerning his labors with us.

And Whereas, We have found in him as a preacher one whose feet are if irruly planted on "the Rock Christ Jesus," ore who is set for the defense of the truth, and who preaches it, without death was paralysis and palpitation of the heart. Deceased was 55 years of age last August. He leaves a wife and one son, Harry, to mourn his loss.

The deceased was a native of Ohio, and had been in the employ of the Shellabarger Mill and Lievator company ight years as a traveling salesman. Besides the widow and son he is survived by his father, four brothers and a

The funeral will take place from the house Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

FIRE CLOSE TO OREANA.

M. E. Hornback Loses Property Valued at \$500.

M. E. Hornback had a bad fire last night at 9 o'clock at his home, within a mile and a half of Oreana. A double can day of January, 1896. corn crib containing 2000 bushels of aug 24-dtf coin, a wagon and two tons of baled ding the adoption of the resolutions man." Her remarks were highly in hay were consumed, the fire starting in Frank P. Roddy and John E. Patterson, structive and entertaining. A social some manner at present unknown, members of the board, tendered their time and the serving of refreshments There was no way of fighting the fire resignations, but they were not accept closed a very pleasant afternoon. successfully, and all Horaback and his | ted. There are twenty-four members of friends could do was to stand around the board. Twenty are said to be firm and see the property go up in smoke supporters of the pastor. At the meet-The total loss was about \$ 00. Insur-

High School News.

Miss Anna Roby, '95, Miss Louise Castman, '94, and Thomas Pitner, '94, were visitors at the High School yesteray. Miss Roby is attending Wellesley College and Mr. Pitner is attending Illinois College at Jacksonville.

The Freshmen class at the High School held their second meeting yes-Wednesday evening, Jan. 8, at 7:00 terday afternoon. A constitution was adopted and the following officers were elected for the school year:

President-Dan Housum. Vice-President-Lucy Penhallegon. Secretary-Frank Lindsay. Treasurer-Grace Beading

Marshal-Albert Allshouse. The class colors were also chosen

They are dark red and cream. Chapter 56 of the Agassiz Association held its regular meeting yesterday after noon at the High School. Talks were meyer and Florence Donahoe.

Court News.

three or four weeks.

Returned Home;

Rev. J. D. Jordan, pastor of the First his visit in the south. He will meet his Piles of people have piles, but De people to-night at the prayer meeting, Wire's Witch Hazel Salve will cure and will meet the official board after the them. When promptly applied it cures ecalds and burns without the slightest prayer meeting. Mr. Jordan is in splendid health and ready for the work of

> the church. Reduced Rates

Of tuition in Brown's Business College went | Night school till April 1. Enroll Mon day evening, January 6.

Christian Church Official Board Endorses the Preacher and Commends Ris Course

Good Pinancial Showing-Increase of th Membership and Interest—Endeavor

board of the Christian church was held work. last night at the tabernacle. It was a DR. CHAFFEE IN HARD LUCK long session of the twenty members who were in attendance. There are a few in retention of the paster, Rev. George F Hall, but they seem to be hopelessly in the minority. These few criticise the pastor's financial management and nis custody of Constable Midkiff, on a state Welsh, a gas fitter in the employ of It was also said the church would be since that time Chuffee has tried in vain field & Wilson, was engaged in making better off had he never come to Deca. to get money to square the account. He change in the location of the hall tur, and they thought it best for him to was confident at first that the rupture handelier, and had placed a new elbow leave. Many friends of Mr. Hall spoke supply firm he represents, O. E. Miller for the gaspipe between the floor and in his behalf and described the progress & Co., Chicago, would see him through ceiling. He went to the basement to turn that had been made and the good which and send down sufficient funds. They on the gas to see if the joint was perfect. had been accomplished. The defending did send a check for \$80 on the Globe There was a strong smell of gas when remarks were earnest and fervent. Mr. Bank, Chicago, but no answer came to a he got back, but he could not locate the Hall was the last to speak. He said telegraphic inquiry as to whether or not leak. So he struck a match, and the he had the earnest support of the the check will be paid. This morning next moment there was an explosion church and board, except a few old- another check for \$75 came, and Cashier which threw Welsh several feet away, timers who had always made trouble Dawson of the Citizen; National, who singed his hair and eyebrows, and set When he came there were lifty attend. wired to know if the check was good. the wood work on fire. The hasty apling the services, now there were 1,200. got an answer from the Globe plication of buckets of water put out Instead of \$2,000 a year he would be Bank stating that there was no willing to take a smaller salary, but he money there yet to make good the check destruction of the entire black, and the would want twelve weeks off for lecturing privileges. ENDORSEMENT.

DECATOR, Ill., Jan. 6, 1896. Whereas, Brother George F. Hall has now been laboring with the First Church of Christ of this city for two years, we realize the cash due him, and while he deem it due to him, to ourselves, to the is sorry for Chaffee, he doesn't feel sym people of Decatur and to the brothren pathetic enough yet to take a note in

courting the smiles or fearing the frowns of any man, because a loving father has commanded it. And Whereas, Wonderful things have

500 members.

In raising a large amount of money for the prosecution of the work at home and abroad, in building a large tubernaneighbors and friends by scores and hundreds to meet with us. Now, there-

and manly presentation of the Gospel of

Second-And therefore we greatly desire that his labor of love in holding up when all the problems will solve them the Christ" before us and the world selves. After the address Miss Guesic ay be continued among us, and may the Lord help us all in our co labor with

nim
Done by order of official board this

In the heat of the discussions preceing of the Endeavor Society last night and requested to remain.

The church reports show that the two notes which had been aigned by total receipts from all sources and all her. It was claimed that the 1 dy had purposes to have been about \$5,000. been induced to take out the instrance This included about \$700 for missions by alleged fraudulent representations. and \$325 for a lot at Riverside Place. Attorney D. D. Hill represented the The Ladies' Aid Society earned and company, and Attorney W. E. Redmon paid out about \$650 and have about the defendant. The jury brought in a \$150 on hand. Mr. Hall remarked that verdict infavor of Mrs. Kline, and now he thought it would be a good idea to Hill says the case will be taken to the elect about ten ladies on the official curcuit court. During the trial George board. The financial secretary of the J. Dorrell, the company's agent, took church, F. P. Roddy, reported a present exception to what Redmon was saying indebtedness on current expenses, inter- and said it was a lie. He apologized to est, paving tax, atc., of \$1.372. ()f thin the court and attorney. amount something over \$300 is due the pastor. The reports from the three collection of \$256.

report as follows:

have been set for the first week. Monday he has been here. Last year the church tend the ravival services. Judge Vail will go through the docket raised \$11,000 for all church purposes, and get the cases for the balance of the making a grand total of \$16,000 for the term. On Feb. 3 he is booked to go to two years. The church is \$1,500 more Monticello to hold the session of the in debt than when be came here, but it At the Business College opens Monday mission chapel, raised \$325 toward the branches thoroughly taught by compe-Riverside lot and erected the tabernacle tent teachers. Reduced rates of tuition which is worth \$6.000 with furniture till April 1.

Daily Republican OPERA HOUSE FIRE AGAIN PASTORHALL WILL STAY and which is clear of debt, of is at least \$5,500 better off Mr. Hall says the work of

year spiritually has pot been a ful as he wished, but hopes it better this year, and he has one re to make and that is that all would be earnest, have the life of Christ in their hearts, and that they would all help pay to the church, because one has no business in a church unless he hetps bear the expenses of the church. His earnest request is to pray more for the pastor, the church, yourself and the The annual meeting of the official

He Now Believes That Miller & Co. are Fooling Him.

Still Dr. Frank Chaffee is in the methods as a preacher. Some bitter warrant for failure to pay a board bill of words were spoken to the effect that \$106.77 to Charles Laux of the St. Hall made a circus of the church, and Nicholas Hotel. He has been under many would not pay their subscriptions. arrest since Saturday forenoon, and Now Doc Chaffee is further admit

than ever. He is convinced now that his firm is juggling with him, and he These resolutions drawn up by P. W. will look elsewhere for aid. He has a Humphrey were adopted practically brother at Lufayotte, Ind., with whom he has communicated, and from whom duce if he would regain his liberty. Mr. Laux has gone into this case to

> pathetic enough yet to take a note in settlement of the claim. Attorney C. A. Ewing is counsel for Chaffee. The production of the desired cash will settle the trouble.

The Woman's Club. Mrs. Habberly was present at the reg ilar meeting of the Woman's Club held Monday afternoon, when Mrs. Geo. R. sisters, in adding to the church nearly and Miss Clara Hawkes were voted in as accept the invitation of the Peons Club and read a paper before that club, as cle is, which our now numerous member—the representative of the Decatur Club, ship may meet to worship, and invite our The Chautauqua division had charge of the entertainment. Miss Edna Bunn rendered a piano solo, a selection from Resolved, First—That we heartily endorse Brother Hall in his able, fearless address on "The Evolution of Industry." In the course of his remarks he said that he had hopes of an ideal republic selves. After the address Miss Gussie

> Gorin sang a solo in a charming manner. Mrs. Habberley, who is to give a course of lectures, afternoon and night. at the club house, addressed the mem bers briefly on "The Evolution of Wo-

Verdict for Mrs Kline.

The case of the Rockford Insurance Co. vs. Mrs. Eliza. Kline was on trial in-Justice Hardy's court by jury until a late hour last evening. The company wanted Mrs. Kline to pay over \$500

The Revival.

The Church of God revival meeting Sunday schools showed an aggregate was well attended on Monday evening. The sermon was short but pointed. Rev. George F. Hall, pastor, gave his "Peace" was the subject, and the speaker showed the difference between a true During the year he has preached 95 and a false peace. The prayers offered sermons at home, 35 sermons and ad- were fervent, the singing spiritual, and lresses elsewhere, 21 lectures, 10 funer- the testimonies given plain and prac-Circuit court will begin for the Januals and 14 weddings. During the year tical. After the audience was dismissed ary term on the 13th, next Monday, he has had 153 additions to the church, the church council held its monthly Enough cases on the common law docket making a total of 476 in the two years meeting. Everybody is invited to at

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